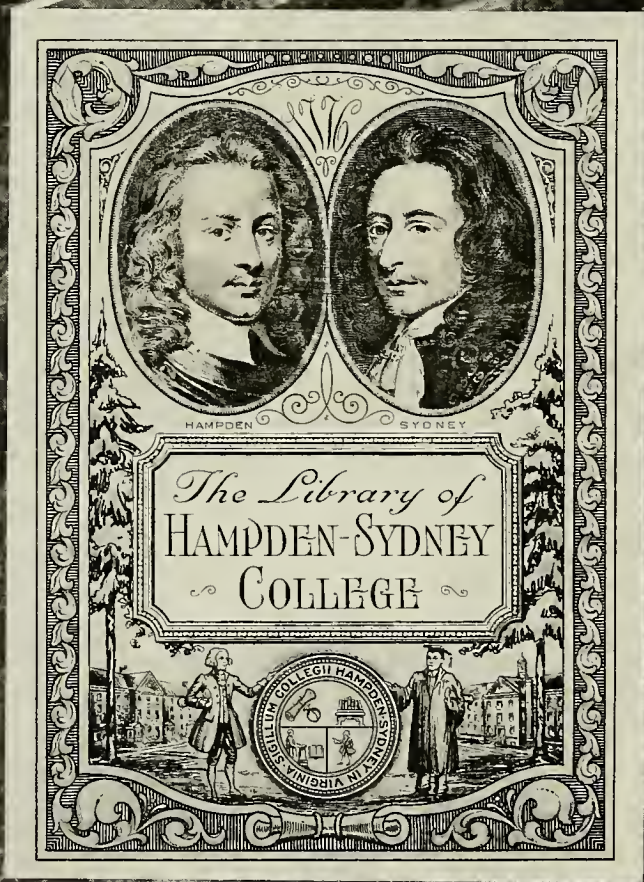
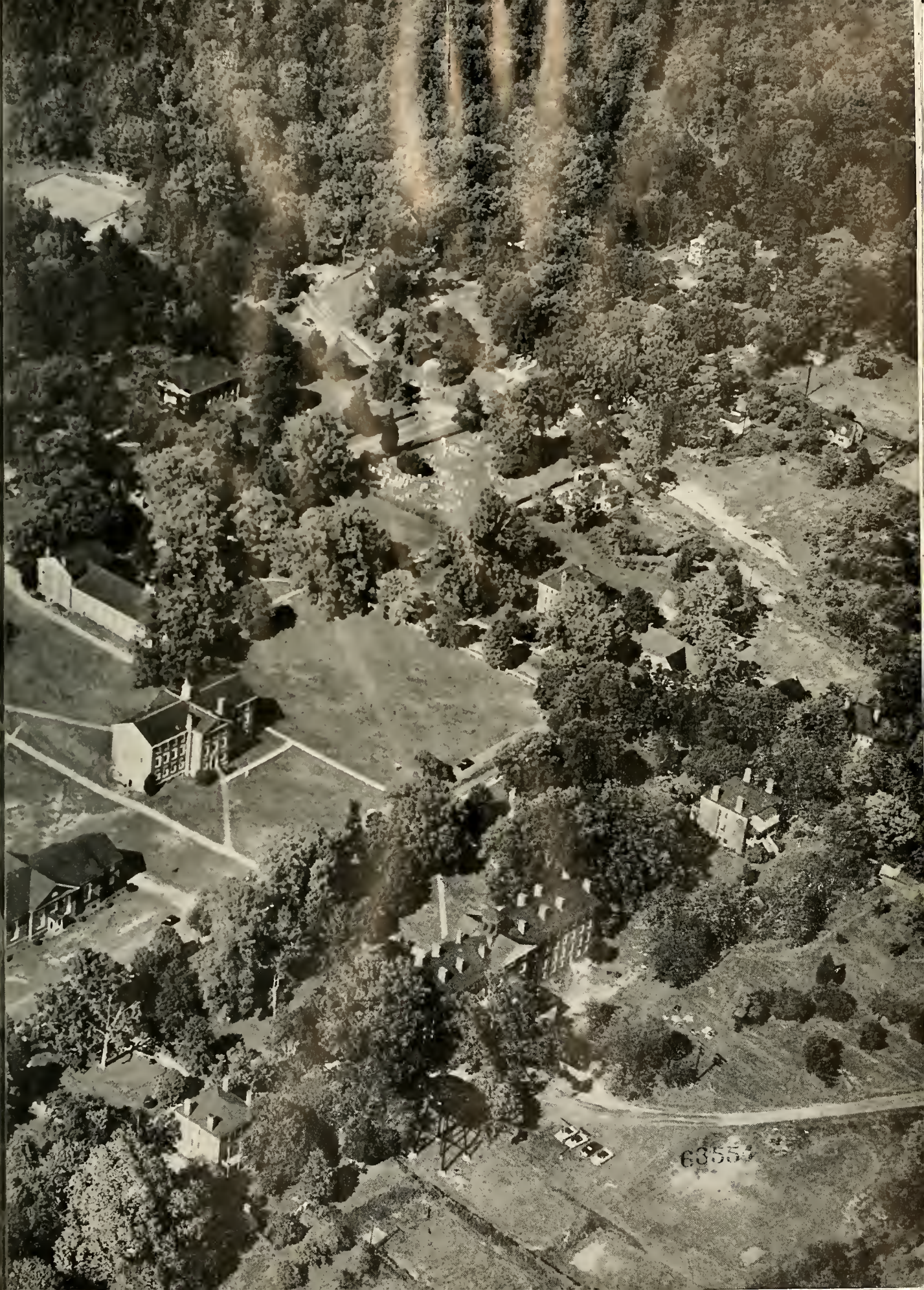
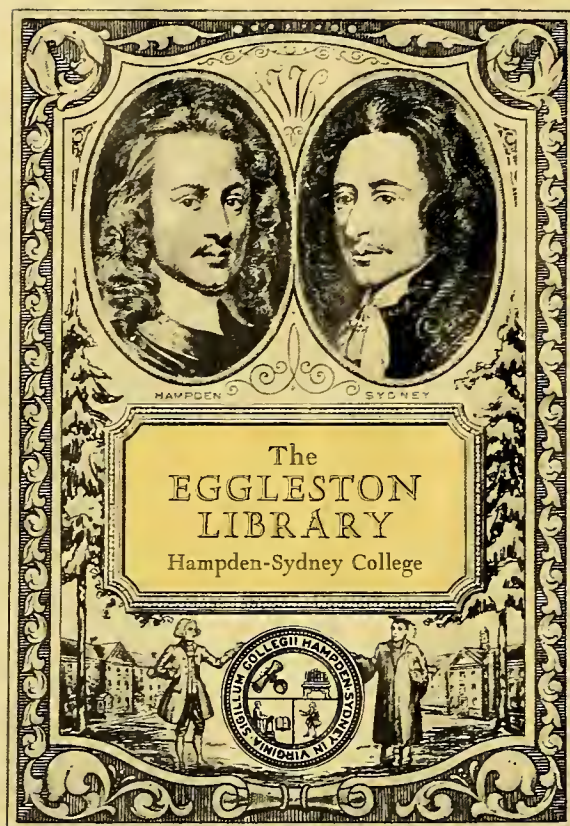


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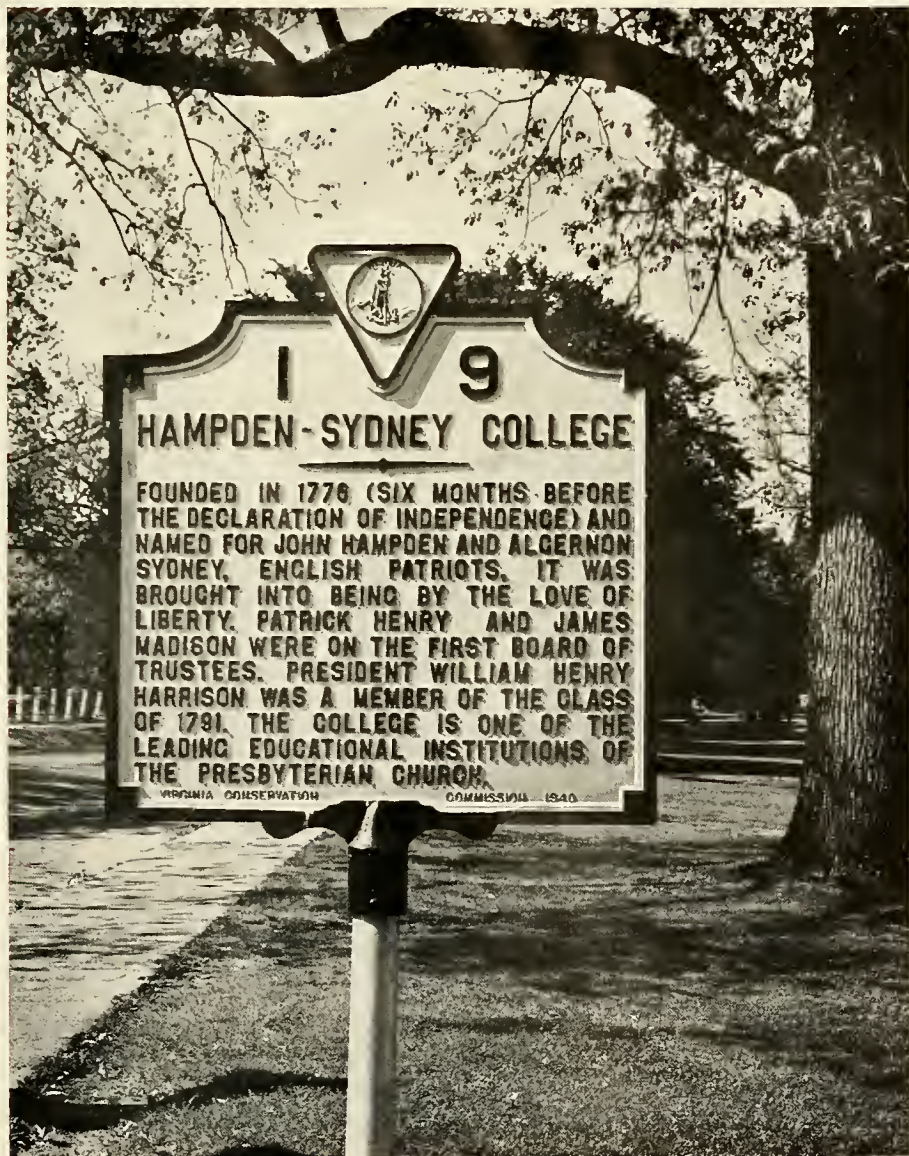


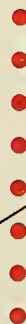




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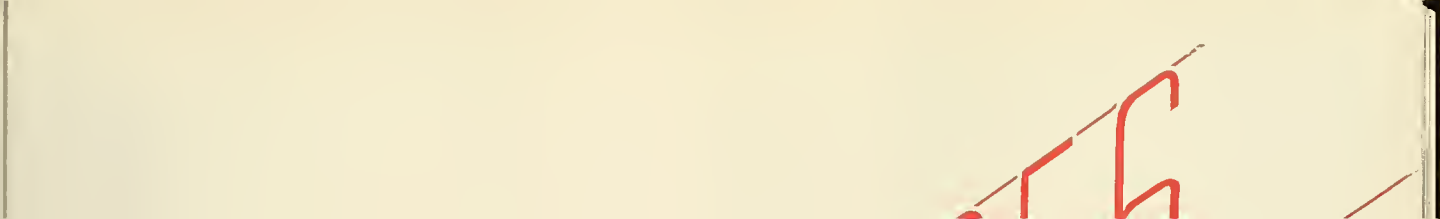
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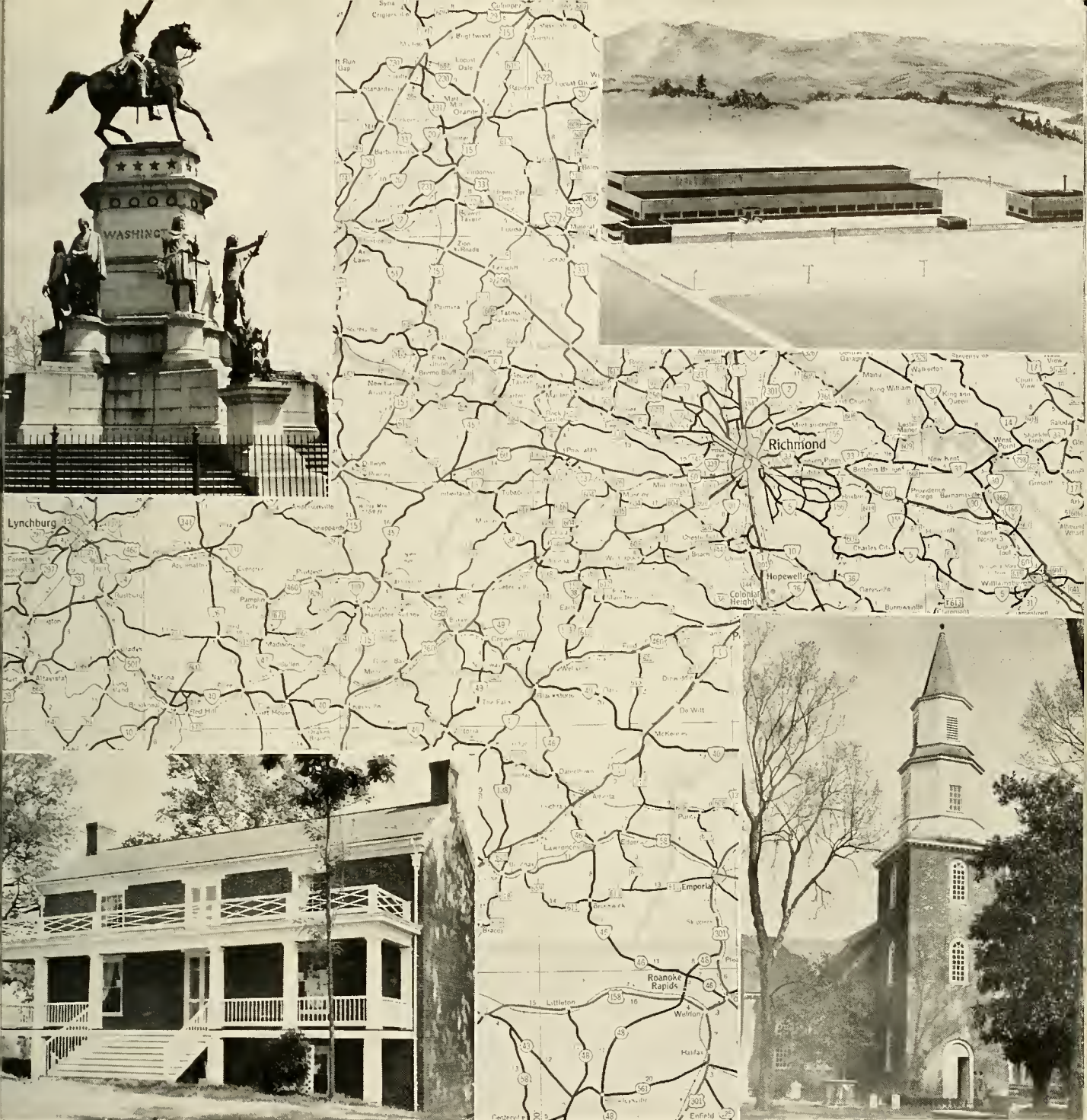
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College Church—Designed by R. L. Dabney, 1865.



Hampden-Sydney

THE INSPIRATION OF A NAME



JOHN HAMPDEN
"Nulla Vestigia Retrosum"
 No Steps Backward

Why should a college in Virginia and America bear the names of two English martyrs for the cause of religious and civil freedom?

As far as can be ascertained, the circumstances of the naming of Hampden-Sydney College have not been preserved in substantial record, but the reason may be readily conjectured. When the youthful Prince Edward Academy, having opened its doors only a few months before, armed itself in 1776 for its role in the Revolution, the men of the Colonies had one blinding theme before them—Liberty.

Heading the college on its first board of trustees were some of America's boldest revolutionists—Patrick Henry being among them. As the boys of the Academy marched off *en masse* and as its sponsors took their stand for freedom, a new name was carefully being sought for the new college. There were American leaders well worthy of being honored, but even these in turn had been inspired.

Over a century before, John Hampden, well born and highly educated and close companion of Oliver Cromwell, had given up his peerage and later his life in service against a selfish and



ALGERNON SYDNEY
"Quo Fata Vocant"
 Whither the Fates Call

unscrupulous king. For Hampden, the climax came in the brilliant charge led at Charlgrove Field where a mortal wound made him a martyr for the "despised cause"—that of English liberty.

Following Hampden's death, another young nobleman, Algernon Sydney took up the fight where Hampden had laid it down. He was exiled in France, disowned by his family and finally captured, falsely convicted and beheaded at the Tower of London. His chief crime had been that "from my youth I endeavored to uphold the common rights of this land, and the true protestant religion, against corrupt principals, arbitrary power, and poverty."

Sydney's great book, *Discourses on Government*, became the hand book for those who love civil and religious liberty. As he was the heir of John Hampden, in like manner the leaders of the American Revolution became his heirs. It is fitting therefore, that some of these leaders should name the new educational institution, cradled in liberty, Hampden-Sydney College.

HAMPDEN HOUSE—Ancestral home of John Hampden in Buckinghamshire, England. At present it is used as a preparatory school for girls.



PENSHURST PLACE—Present home of Lord De L'Isle and Dudley in Kent, England. It was the home of Algernon Sydney.



FOREWORD

The 1956 year book is the result of a staff's attempting to capture the true picture of life in a small, church-related college in the Old Dominion. Of course, Hampden-Sydney means many different things to many different people. But it is hoped that this book will present to you, the reader—student, alumnus, parent, whatever—a lasting kaleidoscope of the liberal arts curriculum, the unique atmosphere, and the venerable traditions of Hampden-Sydney College in the year 1956.

—ROYSTER LYLE, JR.
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The Seal of the College



A. D. Watkins Bell Tower



"Middlecourt"—The President's Home

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EDGAR GRAHAM GAMMON, D.D., LL.D.
President Emeritus of Hampden-Sydney College

It would be impossible for this KALEIDOSCOPE to go to press without some mention of Dr. Gammon—the one man who has meant so much to the State of Virginia, the College of Hampden-Sydney and especially the Graduating Class of 1956. During his sixteen years as president, every facet of the college was improved and strengthened—and at his retirement in June 1955—the college was enjoying its “Finest Hour.”

As surely as the members of the Class of 1956 will recall memories of college days, they will recall a vivid picture of the “Rip”—either addressing the student body with his straightforward sincerity . . . or watching football practice on a cool October afternoon . . . or strolling briskly across the campus swinging his cane and clad in plaid wool shirt . . . and always his friendly greeting.

One page in an annual is far from a sufficient tribute for the devotion, the love and the individual interest that he had for “his boys” . . . for sixteen years.



Edgar G. Gammon Gymnasium—Completed 1955.

"Exegit Monumentum Aere Perennius"—HORACE

"He has erected a monument more lasting than bronze."

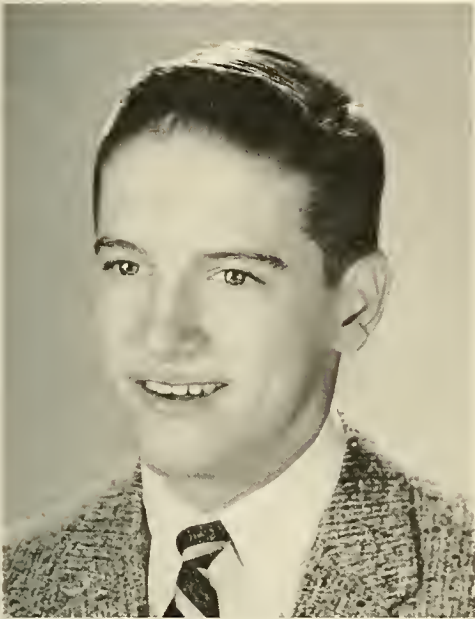
DEDICATION . . .



DENISON MAURICE ALLAN, B.A., M.A., PH.D.
Professor of Philosophy and Psychology

For his individual interest in the students, his continual high standard of classroom scholarship, and his love for Hampden-Sydney—the KALEIDOSCOPE Staff dedicates its 1956 book to Dr. Maurice Allan. In his thirty some years on the Hill, Dr. Allan has been conspicuously interested in both the progressive and the traditional element of the college and curriculum.

To the Class of 1956, Dr. Allan personifies Hampden-Sydney; his quick smile, his helping hand, his dedication to his subject, and his devotion to the college have given him a high and lasting place in the memories of all of us.



NELSON WEBSTER COE, III
Class of 1959



LORENZO EDWARD JEFFERSON, II
Class of 1958

IN MEMORIAM . . .



COMMENCEMENT, JUNE 1955: To retiring President Dr. Edgar G. Gammon a new Chrysler was presented by students, faculty, alumni, employees and friends of Hampden-Sydney. Claude Pritchard, Class of 1949, made the presentation during the morning exercise.



FEBRUARY 1956: Dr. Ben Rice Lacy, (right), retired President of Union Theological Seminary and outstanding Southern educator and theologian, was installed as College Chaplain in Johns Auditorium. Taking part in the academic ceremony were Dr. Joseph C. Robert, President of the College, Charles C. Mottley, President of the Student Christian Association, Dr. Joseph Clower, Professor of Bible, and James Smith, President of the Student Body.

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY INSTALLS ROBERT

Sir Percy Spender Speaker at Ceremony for Virginia College's 17th President

By TILLMAN DURDIN

Special to the New York Times

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY, Va., March 23—Dr. Joseph C. Robert was installed as the seventeenth president of 180-year-old Hampden-Sydney College here today.

Sir Percy Spender, Australian Ambassador to the United States, was the principal speaker at inaugural ceremonies attended by more than 500 guests and members of the college community.

Delegates of 150 universities, colleges and learned societies from all parts of the country were present.

Sir Percy stressed the special responsibilities of academic institutions for safeguarding liberties of thought and expression. He said the pressures against individual freedoms had been growing constantly. He warned that the concept of "the state" had led little by little to the "whittling away of human liberties."

Envoy Praises College

The Australian envoy stated:

"The pressures of the totalitarian philosophies have forced the democratic communities to diminish imperceptibly in detail but greatly in total freedoms long established, revered by custom and accepted or declared by convention or constitution.

"The often valid excuse has been the need to secure the state against the threat of external aggression."



Dr. Joseph Clarke Robert



Sir Percy Spender

Sir Percy praised the long record of Hampden-Sydney as an institution upholding freedom. He told its new president and its faculty and student body that they "must ever be prepared to defend it no matter what opprobrium the discharge of this moral duty may earn."

The ambassador emphasized, however that defense of freedom must be "within the law of your country and subject to your prime and overriding duties of loyalty to your country."

Dr. Frank Stoddart Johns, chairman of the Hampden-Sydney trustees, administered the oath to Dr. Robert and presented him with a copy of the charter of the college, granted in 1783.

In his acceptance speech the new president stressed his resolve to administer the college in accordance with its traditional concepts that combine religious faith with educational enlightenment.

A Graduate of Furman

Dr. Robert, a 49-year-old Mississippian, is a graduate of Furman University in Greenville, S. C. He did

doctorate work at Duke and Harvard Universities and for fourteen years taught at Duke, where he eventually became Professor of History and associate dean of the graduate school.

Dr. Robert came to Hampden-Sydney from a position as president of Coker College in Hartsville, S. C. He is a specialist in the history of the southeast United States and has written several books on this area.

An undergraduate liberal arts college for men, Hampden-Sydney was founded in 1776, six months before the Declaration of Independence. The school acknowledges only the College of William and Mary as more venerable than itself in Virginia and the South.

An academic procession preceded the inaugural speeches today. Justice Archibald Chapman Buchanan of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia introduced Sir Percy.

Dr. Colgate Whitehead Darden, Jr., president of the University of Virginia, and Dr. Francis Pendleton Gaines, president of Washington and Lee University, were among the guests at the inauguration.





THE COLLEGE



JOSEPH CLARKE ROBERT, A.B., M.A., PH.D.
Seventeenth President of Hampden-Sydney College

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO THE GRADUATING CLASS

It is with a special sort of enthusiasm that I shall sign your diplomas, and wish you godspeed. As my first senior class here at Hampden-Sydney, you have shared in my orientation process. And I shall always remember you with gratitude and affection. I now remind you of the new part you soon must play.

When you open this volume for the first time, you will be emerging into that decisive group known as the alumni. The place which you, as products of Hampden-Sydney College, take in your own community will determine the rank of this college in the educational world. And your attitude towards your *Alma Mater* will decide whether we shall continue to go forward, fulfilling the fondest hopes of the founders, or whether we shall merely coast towards a dreamy dead-center of academic mediocrity. We here on the Hill will need your prayers, your guidance, and your support. With these to undergird us, we cannot fail.

JOSEPH C. ROBERT
President



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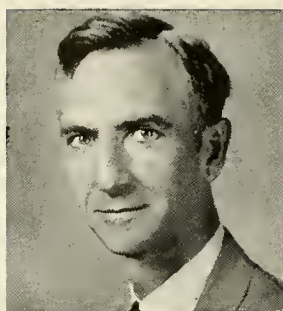


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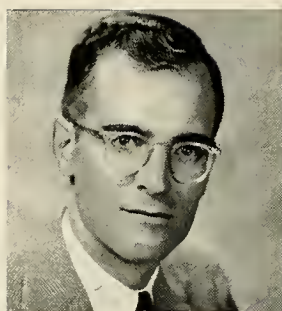
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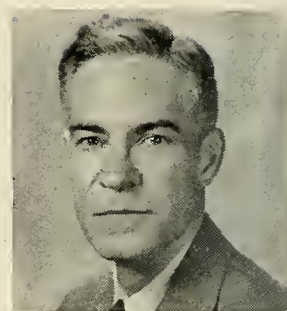
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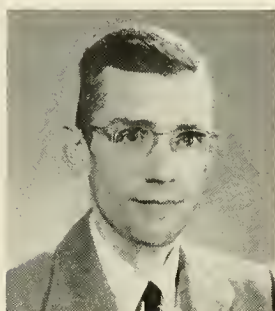
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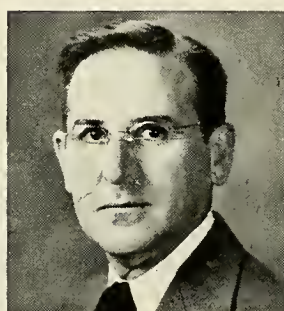
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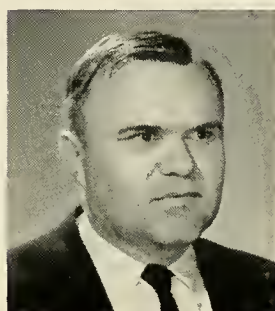
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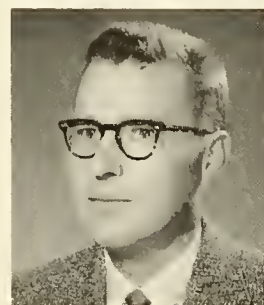
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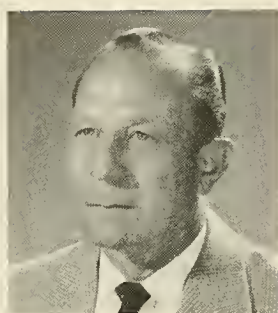


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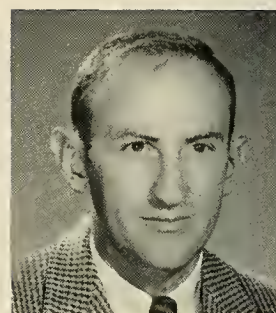
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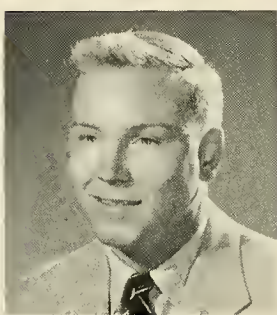
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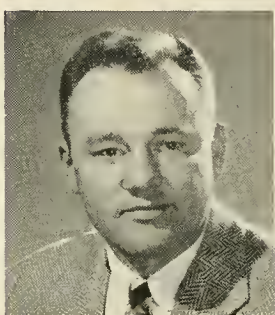
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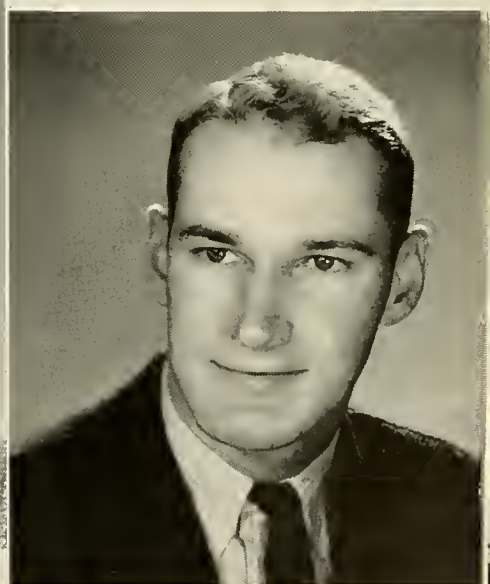
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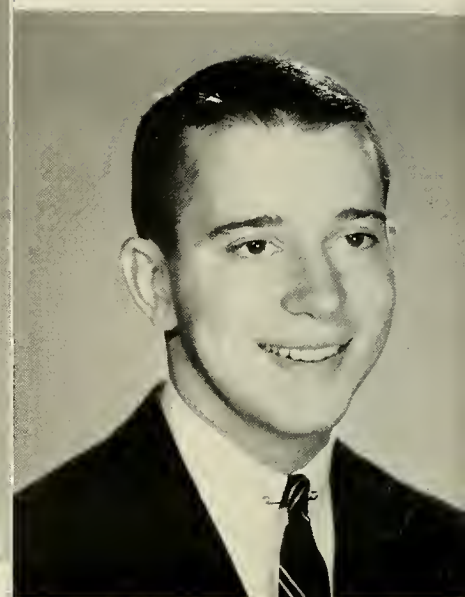
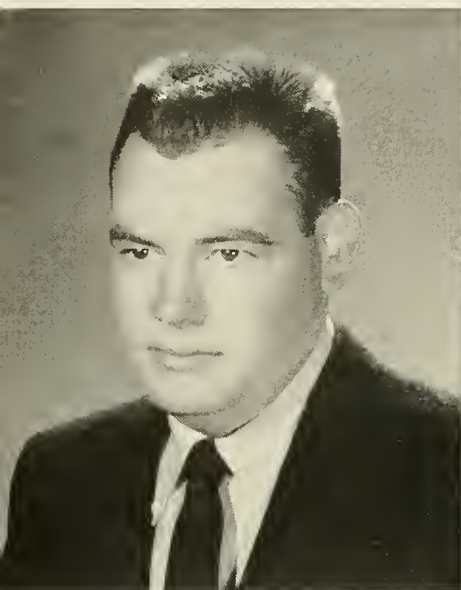
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sembly (4); Tiger (3, 4).

JOHN MILLS BRITT, JR.

Boykins

B.S.

ΠKA, XΒΦ

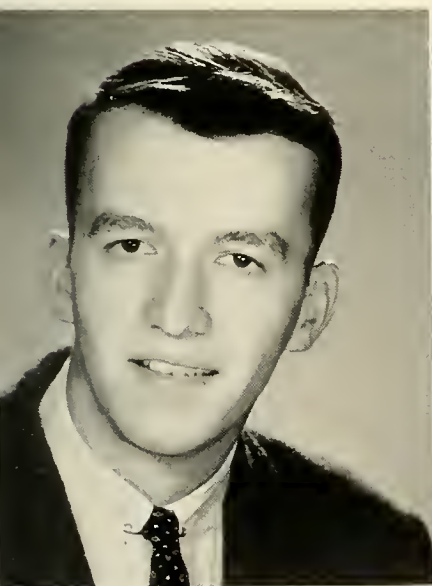
U-P Society (1); Football (1, 2);
Treasurer of Pi KA (3); Alumni
Secretary Pi KA (4).

CHARLES OSBORN CAKE

Arlington

B.S., B.A.

3408 Wilson Blvd.; Cross Country
Track (1); Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4);
Tiger (1, 2, 3, 4); Library Assistant
(1, 2, 3); Freshman Counselor (3);
Vice President of Canterbury Club
(4)





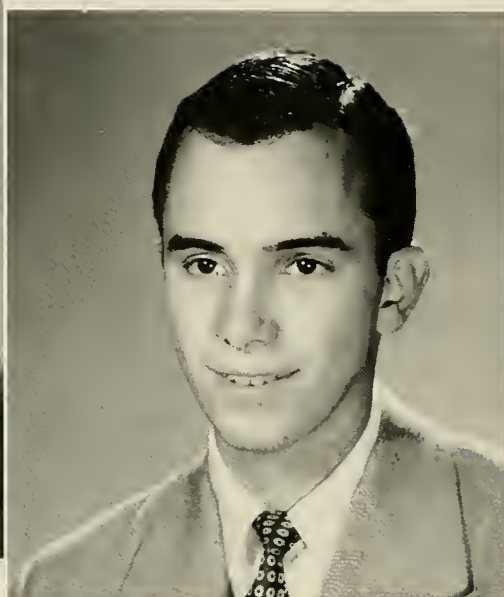
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CARRINGTON, JR.

Lynchburg

B.A.

ΠΚΑ, ΠΔΕ, ΣΥ

3890 Peakland Place; Track (3, 4);
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German Club (3, 4); Art Editor
KALEIDOSCOPE, *Tiger*, and *H-S*
Magazine; Historian ΠΚΑ (2, 4).



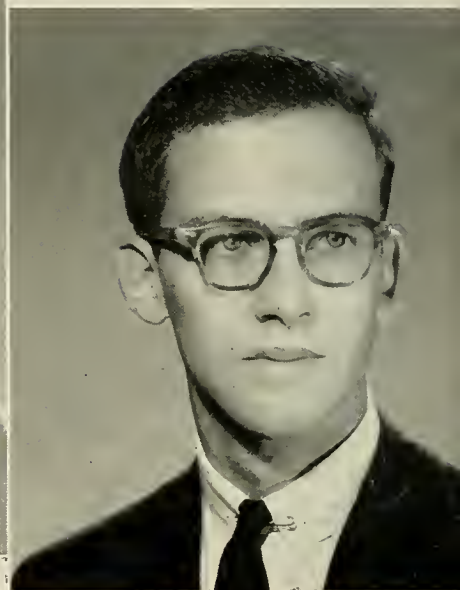
WILLIAM TUCKER
CARRINGTON, JR.

Richmond

B.A.

ΧΦ, ΟΔΚ, ΗΣΦ, ΠΔΕ, ΣΥ

Lindsay Road; *Tiger* (1, 2, 3, 4),
Business Manager (3), Managing
Editor (4); Cross Country Track
(1); President Sigma Upsilon (4);
Secretary Chi Phi (3); Secretary
Eta Sigma Phi (4).



FRANKLIN JAMES CARTER

Warrenton

B.A.

ΠΚΑ, ΗΣΦ, ΠΔΕ, ΣΥ

322 Winchester Street; W and L
University (1); Cross Country
Track (2, 3); Track (2); *Tiger* (2,
3, 4), Feature Editor (4); U-P So-
ciety (2, 3, 4), Treasurer (4);
Treasurer Eta Sigma Phi (4).

Frank



Bill



Frank



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BUCKY



BOB



BUCKY

HORACE EDWARD COSTLEY,
JR.

Ettrick

B.S.

IIKA

112 A. Orange Hill Ave.; Baseball
(1, 2, 3, 4).

ROBERT JORDAN DENNIS

Grundy

B.S.

ΘΧ

Basketball Manager (2, 3); Student
Assembly (2, 3); Intrafraternity
Council (4); Student Finance Board
(4); President Theta Chi (4).

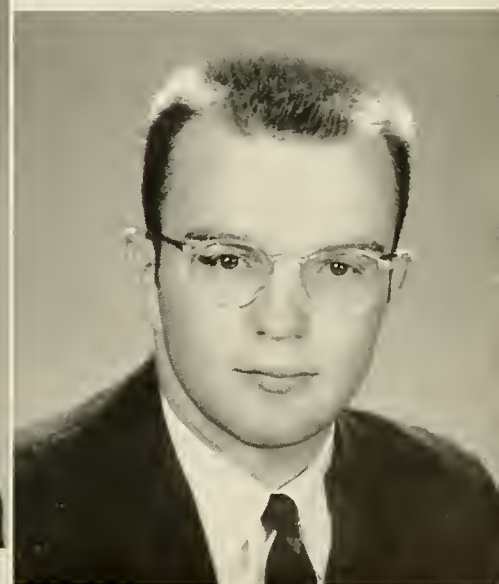
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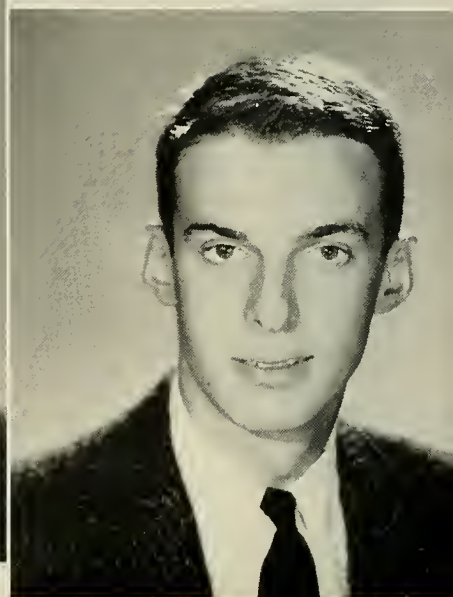
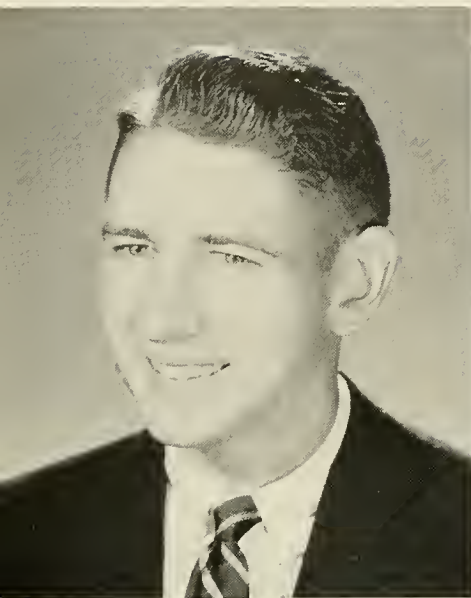
Norfolk

B.A.

ΧΦ, ΠΣΦ, ΧΒΦ

North Shore Point; Football (1);
Freshman Counselor (4); Secretary
Chi Beta Phi (4); Tiger (1, 2).





ROGER KENT ELLIOTT

Arlington

B.A.

6035 9th Street; Library Assistant (2, 3, 4); Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Vice President Independents Organization (4); Student Christian Association Cabinet (2, 3, 4).

EDWARD LIVINGSTON
EVANS, III

South Boston

B.A.

ΣX

616 Main Street; Phi Beta Kappa Sophomore Award; *H-S Magazine* (4).

LEE WALTON FINKS, III

Roanoke

B.A.

$K\Sigma$, $\Pi\Delta E$, ΣT

362 Allison Avenue; *Tiger* (1, 2, 3); *H-S Magazine* (3, 4); Glee Club (1, 4).

ROGER



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BUDDY



JESS



CURT

JOHN ROBERT FISHER, III

Crewe

B.S.

AXA, HAE

401 East Tennessee Avenue; Tiger (1, 2, 3, 4), Circulation Manager (3), Business Manager (4); Student Assembly (3); President Lambda Chi Alpha (4); Vice President Pi Delta Epsilon (4).

JESSE HUGHES GRIFFIN

Dillwyn

B.S.

KA

Football (1, 2); JV Basketball (1, 2); Baseball (1, 2, 3).

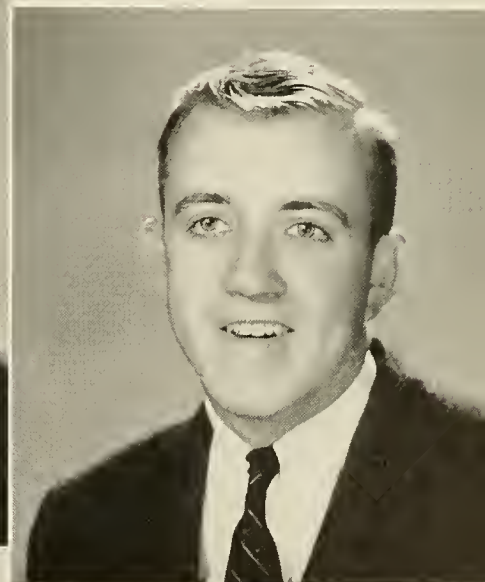
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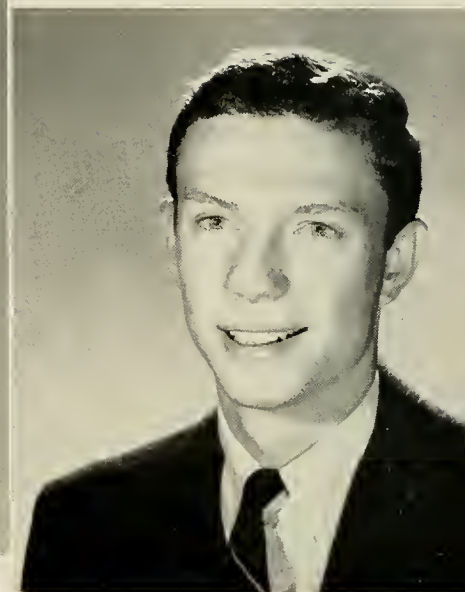
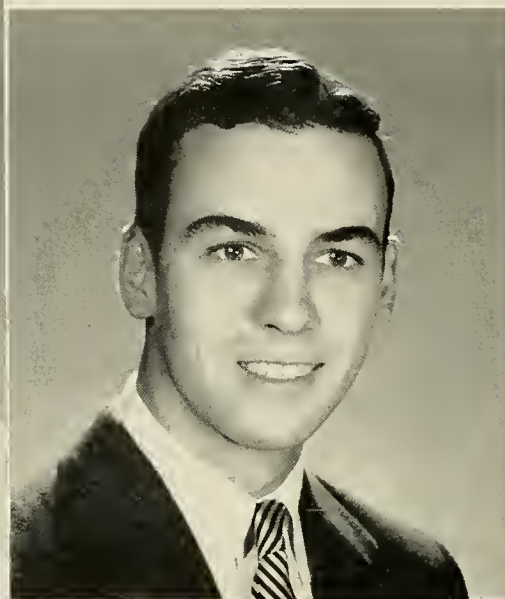
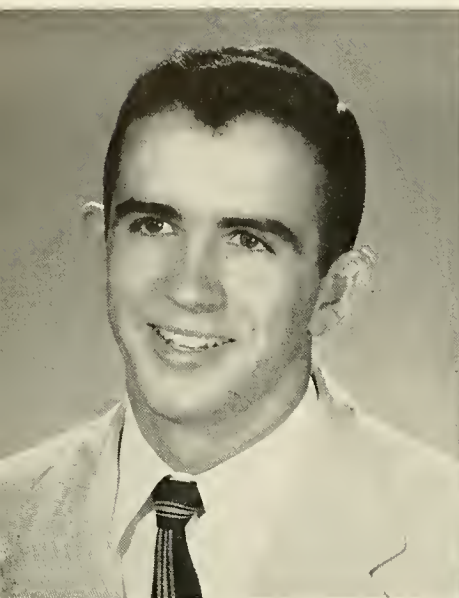
Norfolk

B.S.

XΦ

6145 Eastwood Terrace





WILLIAM SPENCER HAMRICK

White Sulphur Springs,
West Virginia

B.A.

HSΦ

Cross Country (1); Biology Assistant (3, 4); President Fencing Team (4).

HERBERT WITT HARRIS, JR.

Richmond

B.S.

ΠΚΑ

8702 River Road; KALEIDOSCOPE (2); Secretary Pi Kappa Alpha (3).

LEON MARTIN HARRIS

Richmond

B.S.

KA, XBΦ

3204 Edgewood Avenue; Treasurer Kappa Alpha (3).

SPENCER



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MARTIN



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CARY



BOB



RON

ARCHIBALD CARY
HARRISON, III

Richmond

B.S.

ΣΧ

3402 Fendall Avenue; Football (1,
2, 3); Tiger (1); Track (1).

ROBERT WALTER HARRISON

Newport News

B.S.

IIKA

133 Ash Avenue; Band Director (1,
2, 3, 4); Football Equipment Man-
ager (3); Baseball Equipment
Manager (2); Track Equipment
Manager (2, 3); Cross Country
Track Manager (3).

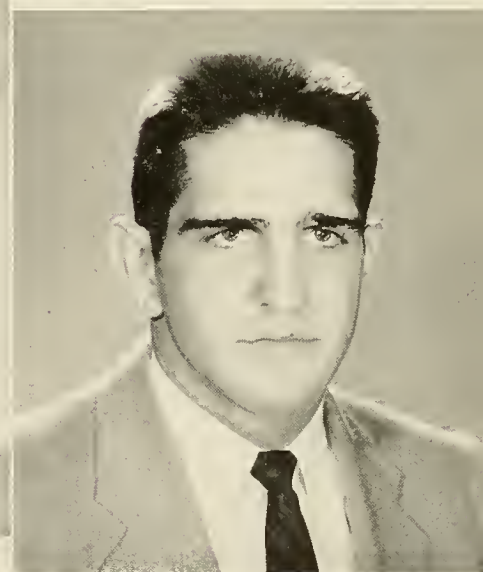
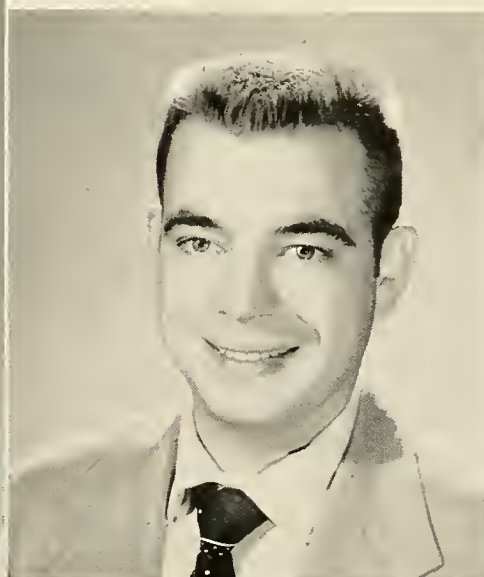
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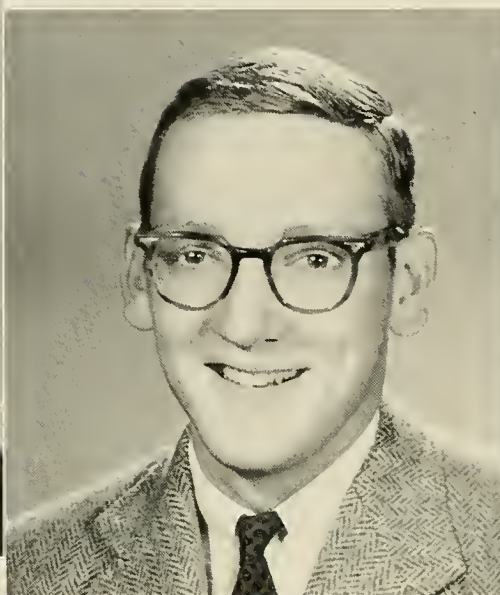
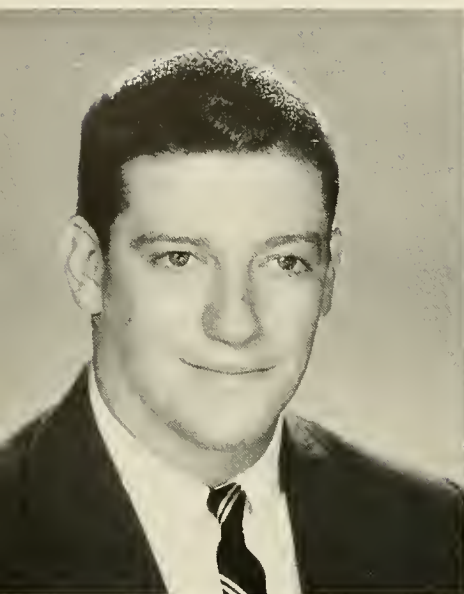
Richmond

B.S.

IIKA

2513 Third Avenue; Football (1, 2,
3, 4); Track (1); Freshman Coun-
selor (4); All Little Seven Football
(1, 2, 3, 4); Little All American
Football (4).





FRED MURCHISON HODGES,
JR.

Richmond

B.A.

KΣ, ΠΔΕ

400 Old Lock Lane; JV Football (1); JV Baseball (1); Vigilance Committee (2, 3), President (3); Student Assembly (2, 3, 4); KALEIDOSCOPE (2, 3), Editor-in-Chief (3); Vice President Pi Delta Epsilon (3), President (4); Inter-Fraternity Council (4); Assistant Basketball Manager (4); Student Finance Committee (4); President Kappa Sigma (4).

LAWRENCE HAROLD
HOOVER, JR.

Harrisonburg

B.A.

KΦ, ΟΔΚ, ΗΣΦ, ΗΔΕ, ΣΤ

231 Grace Street; Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Vice President (4), Quartet (3, 4); JV Basketball (1); Cheerleader (1); Tiger (2, 3, 4), Sports Editor (3), Editor-in-Chief (4); KALEIDOSCOPE (2, 3); H-S Magazine (3, 4); President Eta Sigma Phi (4); Who's Who in Colleges and Universities; Historian Junior Class.

JAMES JOSEPH KEATING, JR.

Washington, D. C.

B.A.

KΣ

3513 Macomb Street, NW; KALEIDOSCOPE (3); Vice President Kappa Sigma (4).

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JIM



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PHIL



KIRK

DONALD RAY KELLEY

Round Hill

B.S.

PHILLIP WINFREY KEY

Roanoke

B.S.

IIKA

920 Welton Avenue; Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Track (2); Freshman Counselor(4); Who's Who in Colleges and Universities.

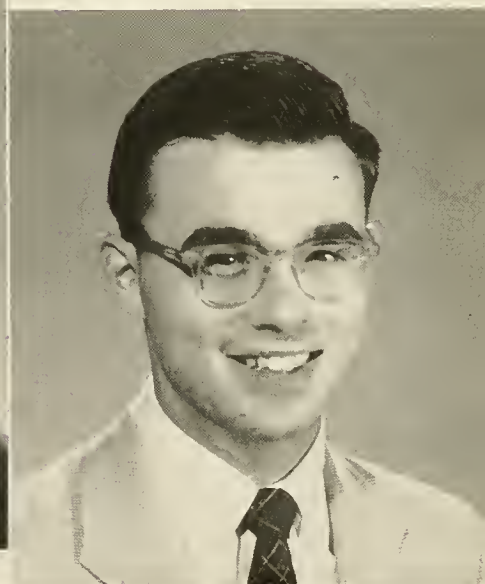
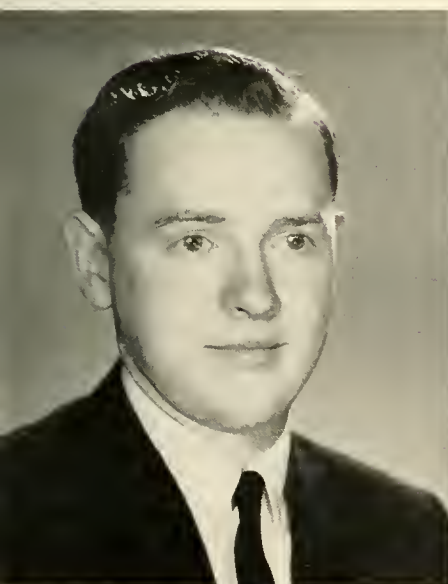
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KIRKPATRICK

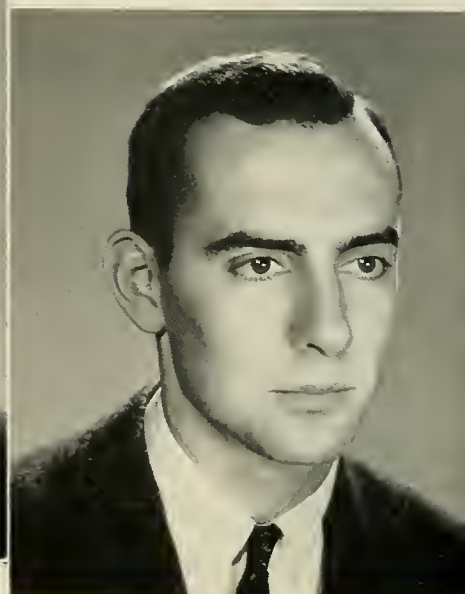
Hampton

B.A.

HSΦ

2 Sperry Court; Vice President Eta Sigma Phi (4).





JAMES ELLSWORTH KULP

Roanoke

B.S.

XΦ, OΔK, XΒΦ

352 Allison Ave.; Historian Freshman Class (1); JV Basketball (1); Sec. Treas. Student Body (2); Vice President Student Body (3); Honor Council (3); Bible Assistant (3, 4); Treasurer Chi Phi (3), President Chi Phi (4); Freshman Counselor (3); Secretary Omicron Delta Kappa (4); President Chi Beta Phi (4); Inter-Fraternity Council (4); Tennis Team (3, 4); Tiger (2, 3), Glee Club (4).

ALEXANDER PIERSON
LEVERTY

Richmond

B.S.

ΣX, XΒΦ

Route #5; Glee Club (1, 2); Tiger (1, 2, 3); KALEIDOSCOPE (3); Secretary Inter-Fraternity Council (4); President Sigma Chi (4); Chemistry Assistant (2, 3, 4).

ROYSTER LYLE, JR.

Danville

B.A.

XΦ, OΔK, ΠΔE, ΣT

Mt. View Avenue; Sec. Treas. Freshman Class (1); Sec. Treas. Student Christian Association (2), JV Basketball (1); Tiger (1, 2, 3, 4), Sports Editor (2), Editor-in-Chief (3); OΔK Freshman Award; ΠΔE Freshman Award; Business Manager German Club (3); Freshman Counselor (3); Glee Club (1, 2, 4); Who's Who in Colleges and Universities; Vice President Chi Phi (4); Editor-in-Chief of '56 KALEIDOSCOPE (4).

JIM



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ROYSTER



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OTIS



CHUCK



JIM

GEORGE OTIS MEAD, III

Low Moor

B.S.

XΦ

Student Assembly (1); Football (1, 2, 3); Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4)

CHARLES CRANSTON
MOTTLEY

Alexandria

B.A.

ΠΚΑ, ΣΤ

602 Woodland Terrace; Vice President Freshman Class (1); Tiger (1, 2, 3, 4); Student Christian Association Cabinet (2, 3), President (4); Football (1, 2, 3); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4), Co-Captain (3), Captain (4); Track (1, 2, 3).

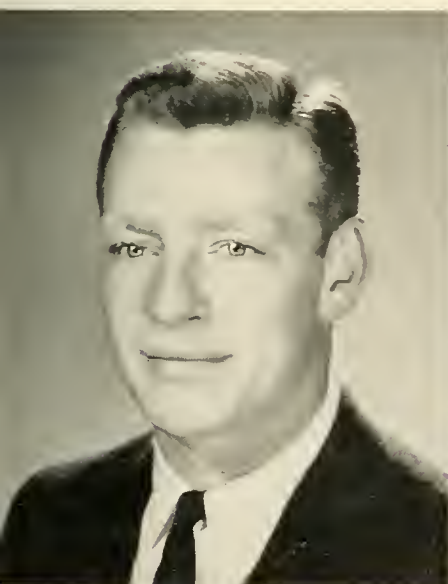
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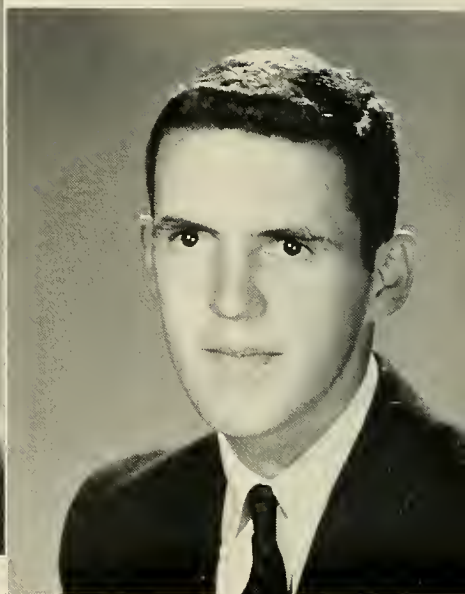
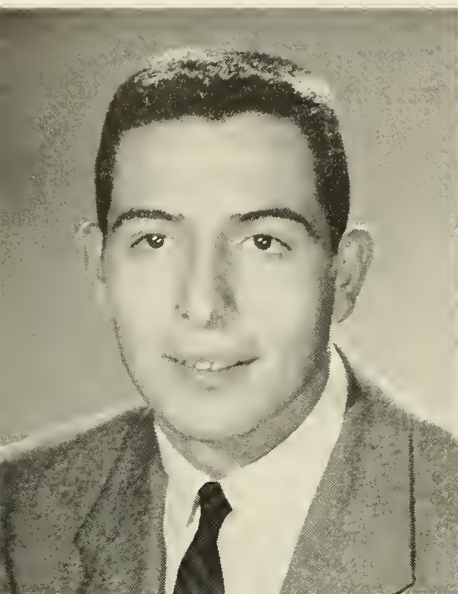
Bluefield, West Virginia

B.A.

TKA, ΔΨΩ

910 Princeton Avenue; Sec. Treas. Independent Organization (3), President (4); Cross Country Track (1); Debate Team (1, 2, 3, 4); Debate Cup (2); Rosewall Page Prize (3); Jongleurs (1, 2, 3, 4); Tiger (4); KALEIDOSCOPE (4); Library Assistant (2, 3, 4); Student Assembly (4); U-P Society (4).





JOHN NICHOLS

Norfolk

B.S.

XΦ

7606 Gleneagles Road; Honor Council (2, 4); Vigilance Committee (2, 3); JV Basketball (1); Intramural Manager (3); Glee Club (4); *Tiger* (3, 4).

JOHN YOUNG NICHOLSON, III

Crewe

B.S.

XBΦ

116 Gatewood Avenue; Laboratory Assistant in Chemistry (2, 3, 4).

MAURICE NOTTINGHAM, JR.

Exmore

B.S.

KA

Cheerleader (1); Bible Assistant (3, 4); Physics Assistant (3); Freshman Counselor (4).

NICK



JOHN



MAURY

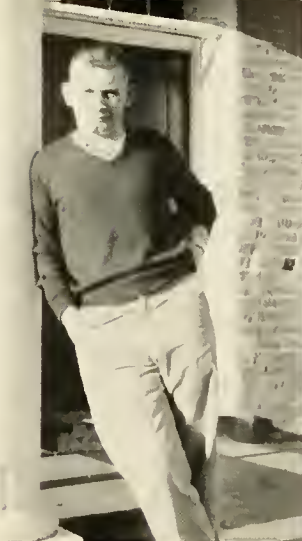


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BOB



TOM



ANDY

ROBERT MASON PILCHER, JR.

Roanoke

B.S.

ΠΚΑ, ΟΔΚ

436 Walnut Avenue; Football (1); Track (2); Basketball Manager (3, 4); Tiger (3, 4); Vice President Pi Kappa Alpha (3); Student Assembly (3); Student Finance Committee; Vice President Interfraternity Council (4); KALEIDOSCOPE (4); Business Manager German Club (4).

THOMAS RECTOR POLAND

Herndon

B.S.

ΠΚΑ

Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (1, 2); Honor Council (2, 4); All-Little Eight Football (2).

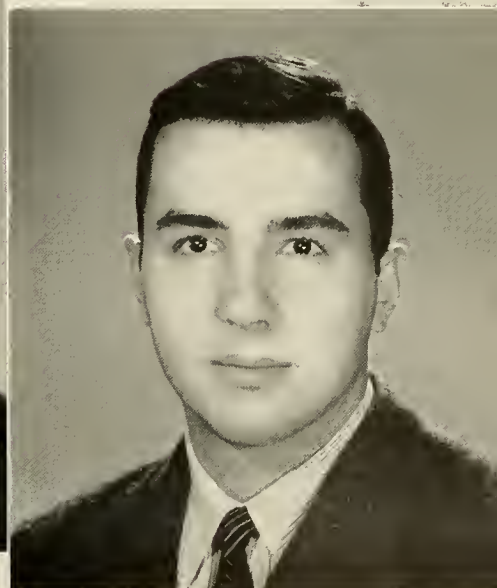
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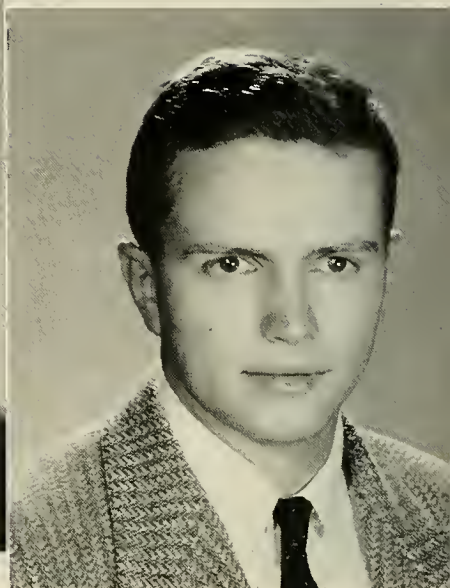
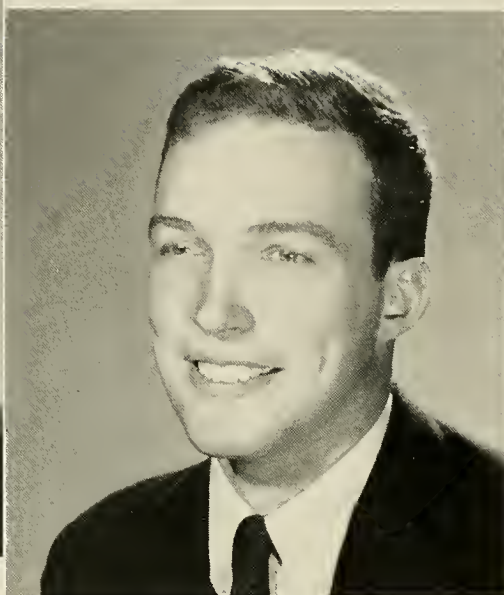
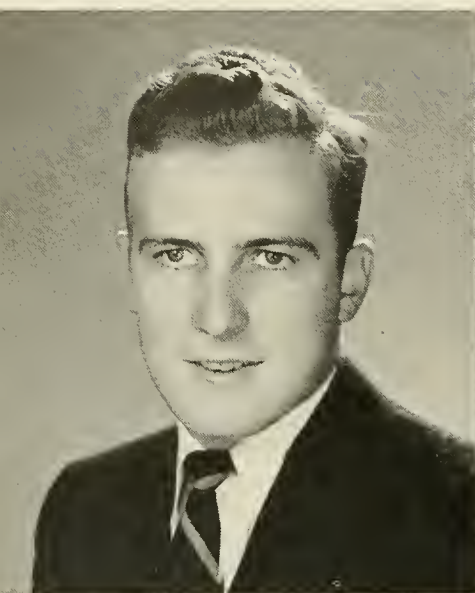
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B.S.

ΧΦ

835 Edgewood Drive





JOHN ASHBURN RAWLS

Richmond

B.S.

KA, XBΦ, TKA

Route #1; Student Assembly (3);
Debate Team (1, 2, 3, 4); Vice
President Tau Kappa Alpha (3),
President (4); Treasurer Kappa
Alpha (3).

WILLIAM THOMAS REED, III

Sabot

B.S.

XΦ, ΣΤ

Sabot Hill Farm; KALEIDOSCOPE (4).

JOHN FRENCH RICHARDS

Lynchburg

B.S.

XΦ, OΔK

Trent's Ferry Road; Tennis (1, 2,
3, 4), Captain (3); JV Basketball
(1); Vice President Sophomore
Class (2); Student Assembly (2, 3);
Basketball (2, 3, 4), Co-Captain
(3); Tennis Trophy (2, 3); Sec-
Treas. German Club (3), President
(4); Freshman Counselor (3); Presi-
dent Junior Class (3); President
Senior Class (4); President Omicron
Delta Kappa (4); Who's Who in
Colleges and Universities; Glee Club
(4).

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BRUCE



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SANDY

MALCOLM BRUCE
ROBERTSON

Richmond

B.A.

KΣ

1211 Wilmington Avenue; Glee
Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Student Chris-
tian Association (4).

JOHN EDWARD SADLER, JR.

Pulaski

B.S.

KA

Tiger (1, 2); Assistant Business
Manager German Club (2), Presi-
dent (4).

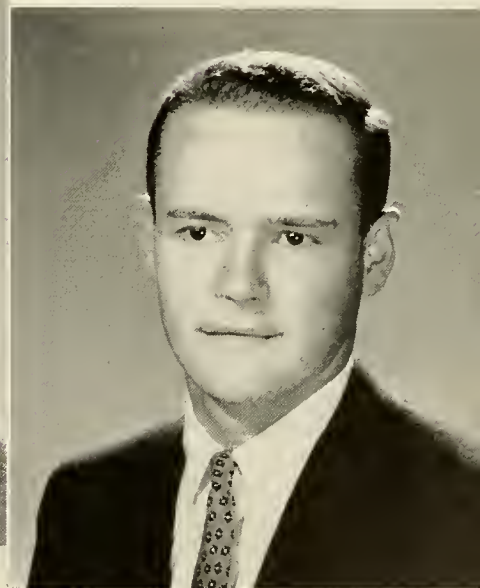
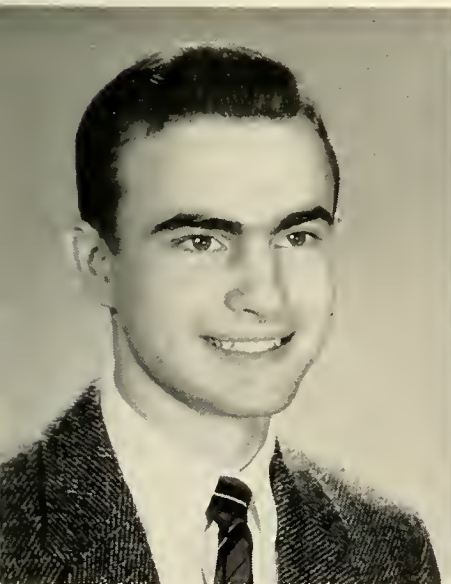
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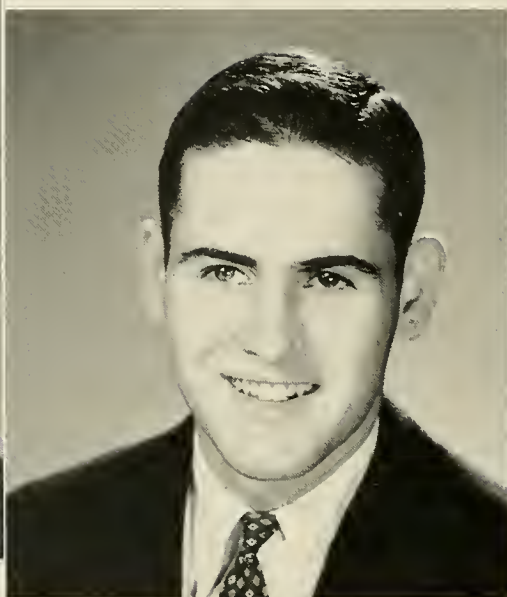
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B.S.

XΦ, XΒΦ

317 Rivermont Drive; JV Basket-
ball (1); Tiger (1, 2, 3, 4); His-
torian Senior Class (4); KALEIDO-
SCOPE (4).





LANGHORNE EDWARD
SCRUGGS

Clifton Forge

B.A.

HSΦ

217 Alleghany Street; Glee Club
(3, 4).

RICHARD BURT SESSOMS

Roanoke

B.A.

KΣ, ΣT

1816 Sheffield Road; Davidson Col-
lege (1); Glee Club (2, 4); JV
Basketball (2); Basketball (2);
KALEIDOSCOPE (3); Sec.-Treas. Sen-
ior Class (4); Vice President Kappa
Sigma (4); Inter-Fraternity Council
(4); Student Assembly (4).

JOHN ROBERT SHARPE

Richmond

B.S.

3100 Noble Avenue

ED



DICK



JOHN



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JACK



JIM



SONNY

JOHN WISE SHERMAN, III

Pearisburg

B.S.

XBP

Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Cross Country Track (1); Student Christian Association Cabinet (3); Physics Lab Assistant (3, 4); Student Assembly (4).

JAMES HARRISON SMITH

Hurley

B.S.

IIKA, OΔK

President Student Body (3); President Pi Kappa Alpha (3); Vice President Omicron Delta Kappa (3); Co-Captain Football (3); Baseball (1, 2, 3); Football (1, 2, 3); All-Little Eight Football (3).

CARL HJALMAR
SOMMARD AHL, JR.

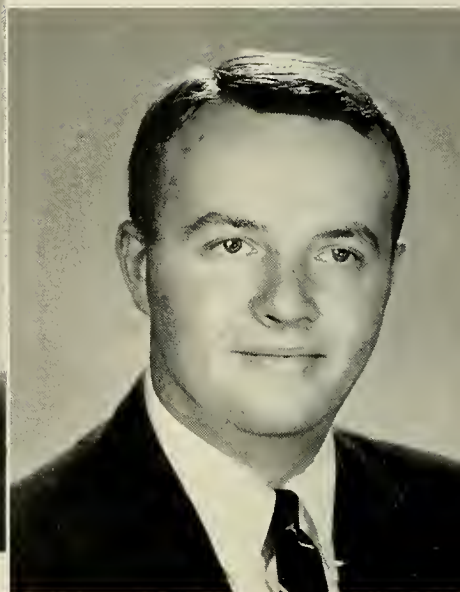
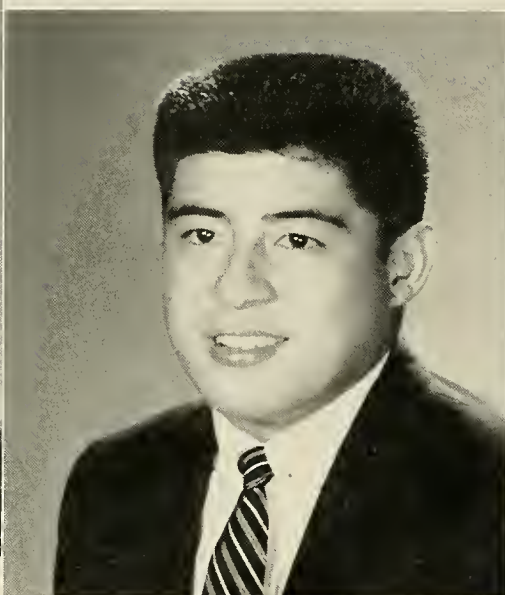
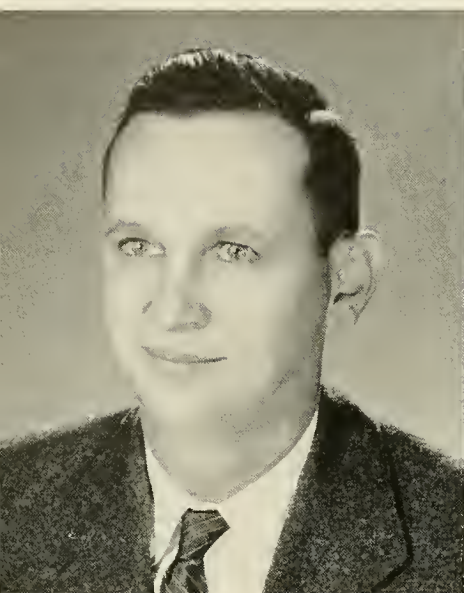
Roanoke

B.S.

IIKA

1460 Lafayette Blvd.; Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (1, 2); Student Assembly (2); Tiger (1, 2, 3); Vigilance Committee (3); Vice President Pi Kappa Alpha (4); Chemistry Lab Assistant (4).





ROBERT MORRIS STEEL

Upper Montclair, New Jersey

B.S.

28 Laurel Place

JOHN ANTHONY FRANCIS
TIGMO, JR.

Norfolk

B.A.

XΦ

324 E. Sewells Point Road; Foot-
ball (1, 2, 3, 4); Honorable Mention
All-Little Eight (4); Glee Club (1,
2, 3, 4).

WILLIAM EDWIN TOLAND

Baltimore, Maryland

B.S.

KΣ

6303 Bellona Avenue; Honor Coun-
cil (1); Glee Club (1, 2); Secretary
Kappa Sigma (3); KALEIDOSCOPE
(3).

JERSEY



TIG



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JIM



RUSSELL



HERMAN

JAMES McCORKLE TURNER

Danville

B.S.

ΠΚΑ

1031 Main Street; Football (1);
KALEIDOSCOPE (4).

EVERETT RUSSELL VASS, JR.

Arlington

B.S.

ΑΨΩ

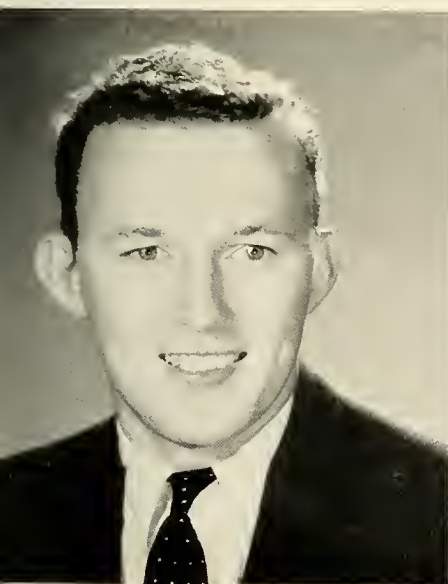
2315 South Inge Street; Sec.-Treas.
Jongleurs and Alpha Psi Omega
(3); Fencing Club (3, 4).

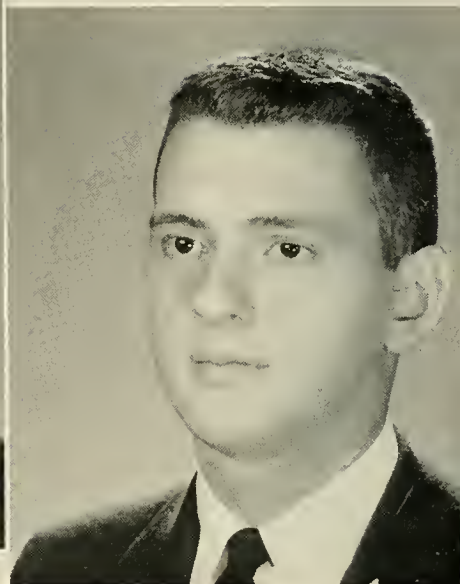
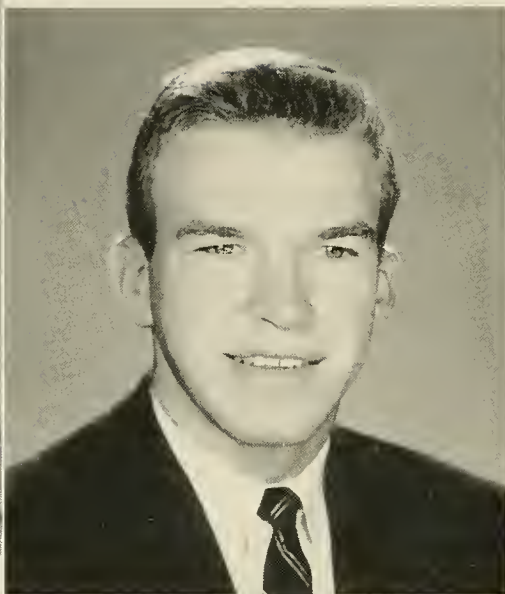
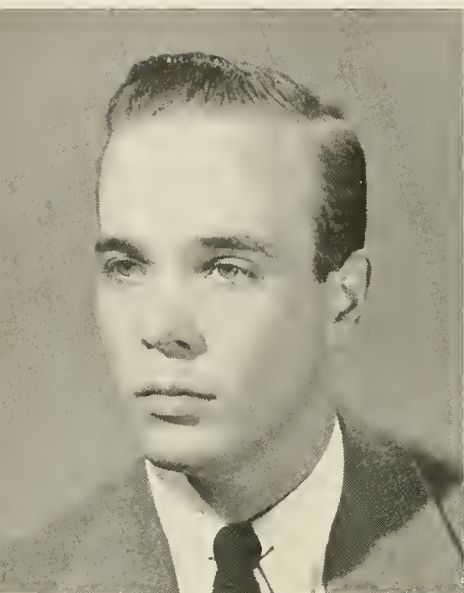
HERMAN BELOTE WALKER

Franktown

B.A.

KA





JAMES EDMUND BOYD
WALLACE

Norfolk

B.S.

KΣ

5224 Powhatan Avenue; KALEIDO-
scope (1, 2, 3).

CALVIN NORWOOD
WARFIELD, JR.

Silver Springs, Maryland

B.S.

XΦ

1411 Highland Drive; Glee Club
(1, 2, 3, 4); JV Basketball (1);
Band (1, 2); Intramural Council
(2).

JAMES WALTON WEAVER

Norfolk

B.S.

KA

1308 Stockley Gardens; U-P So-
ciety (1, 2, 3).

JIM



WHITEY



JIM



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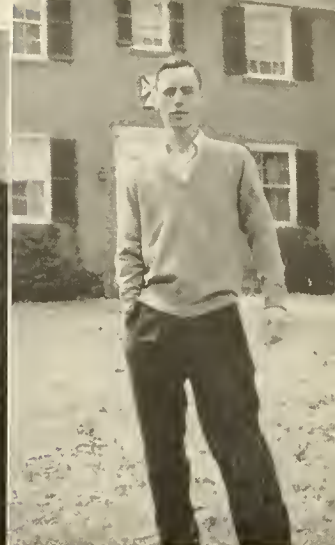
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JIM



BOB



PARKE

JAMES SHELBY WHITE

Richlands

B.S.

KA, OΔK

318 Lee Street; Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Vice President (3), President (4); Sec. Treas. of Sophomore Class (2), of Junior Class (3); Tennis (3, 4), Captain (4); JV Basketball (1); President Kappa Alpha; Crawley Music Award (3).

BERNARD LEE WOODY, JR.

Lynchburg

B.A.

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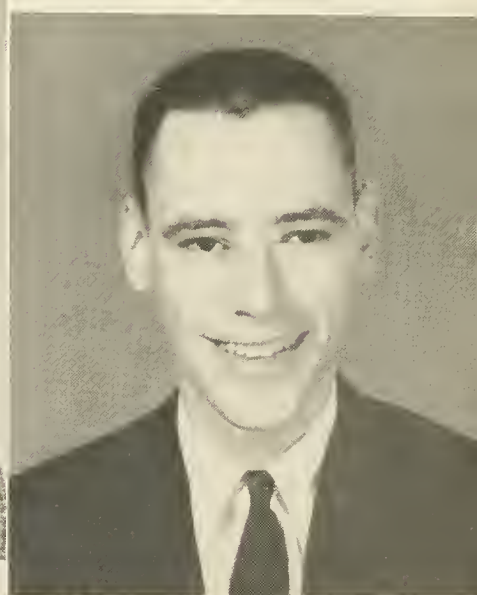
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Special Student; Graduate, Class of 1955.



HISTORY OF H-S CLASS OF 1956

By E. L. SANDERS

Early in September of 1952, as the leaves on the trees around the campus began to change from green to brown, over 100 freshman arrived for the 176th session of a tradition-filled Hampden-Sydney. Nineteen hundred fifty-six seemed in the dim future then; our only worries were Bible, how we could arrange an introduction into Longwood, and whether to take a B.S. or a B.A. course. After a few days of shyness we all began to feel at home due to the friendliness of upper-classmen and the trait that freshmen have of sticking together.

bird;" "V.C.," and "I don't want to see anything but uh huh's, heels, and elbows."

Under the steady influence of the routine of classes and letters from the parents, the class of '56 settled down to the business at hand. Ames Drummond and Chuck Mottley were elected as President and Vice-President respectively of the class, and they appeared very capable. Many volunteered to work on the *Tiger* and the *KALEIDOSCOPE*, and others such as Poland, Sommardahl, Tigmo, Henry, Smith, Martinez, and Ben Curtis were helping Jim Hickey to start



Introduction to a new Phenomenon—Rat Racing.

The first few days of college life were pretty routine with aptitude tests and physical "examinations" by Dr. Moore. Then the blow struck; classes began, bringing quizzes, tests, term papers, and later exams. Four years of going to class seemed like a lifetime then, but not now.

Just as we began to feel cocky and act like we owned the school, Bob Curtis and friends took the wind out of our sails with an old Hampden-Sydney tradition called ratting. We learned a whole new vocabulary containing words and phrases such as: "gross," "sound off," "goony

his coaching career at Death Valley off on the right foot. All others not on the football team were there every Saturday afternoon supporting the Tigers with their yells and posters.

Our enthusiasm for leadership and extra-curricula activities never faltered and as Seniors today we can be proud of what our class has contributed to the Small College in the Heart of Virginia.

Homecoming was our first big event, because we encountered our first college dance. Then home for Thanksgiving, back for a few short

weeks and homeward bound again for Christmas. The dreary days of January before exams set in were soon forgotten in the chaos of rushing and smokers. Some hard decisions had to be made, and they were made, but not without a few nights of roaming the halls and some last minute anxiety. A freshman's first pledge day is one thing that will always stick in his mind, and so it will with us.

The best part of the year, Spring, was soon ushered in, and we settled down to some serious periods of academic inactivity. Sunbathing in back of Venable, sitting out on the porch, and trips to Throck's and Harry's seemed to be the basic aims in life. Baseball season was in full swing, but the only double play combination most of us were familiar with was "car to Longwood to lake." After a few days of forcing ourselves to study we got through exams and were off on a variety of summer activities.

The next fall most of the class of '56 were fortunate enough to return and resume college life. Halsey Smith and John Richards led us in taking over the reins of ratting which wasn't as successful as the year before, but nevertheless it was impressed on the freshmen. From this point on, the time seemed to fly because we were no longer green freshmen but seasoned veterans living for the weekends. Time was not measured by dates but by instances and happenings; and we, the Senior Class, were present when many eventful things occurred that will be remembered by the whole student body, and also when insignificant things happened that will be remembered only by a few. Big or small these remembrances will be important later on because they were a part of Hampden-Sydney. Who in later years won't recall:

The contributions of Dr. Gammon and the inauguration of Dr. Robert; Hickey's four foot-

ball teams with three Little All-Americans; the panty raid and the pride we took in our Student Assembly for the manner in which they handled a very difficult situation; the retirement of Dean Wilson and his successor, Charlottesville's James Kinard; the tee shirt of Dr. Ropp; the return of name bands to the Mid-Winter dances; the sigh of relief of fraternity men after pledge day; the retirement of Sam Brown, the bell ringer; the food in the Commons; Saturday and Monday tests and Sunday morning's inertness; the influx of dogs and the cars to the campus; Mr. Hoffman's novel; the walk after first period to the post office and then to the shop; the colorful crowds at Death Valley and the even more colorful "small" college football games; the times one has wished for a nickel for every time he'd been over the road between Farmville and Hampden-Sydney.

The election of John Richards and Bob Pilcher as President and Vice President of the Junior and Senior Classes; the fine work of Jim Smith as president of the Student Body our last year; the trips to Macon, Hollins and Sweet Briar and the ungrateful "ICC's" the last minute before a dance weekend; the revival of the *Hampden-Sydney Magazine*; a certain professor's Biology classes; the members of our class who were tapped into OΔK; and the five who were selected to Who's Who; the burning and rebuilding of the Theta Chi House; the combo parties and how their novelty wore off after awhile; the laughter of Willie at LaFoon's; the death of an old friend to all Hampden-Sydney men, Harry Pearlove; the anxious searching of the cut lists; and the anxiety we all felt as undergraduates about the outside world after "that" day in June.

There will be as many different recollections about college as there are students, but these were just a few that will most likely be called to mind in the future.



Memorial Library

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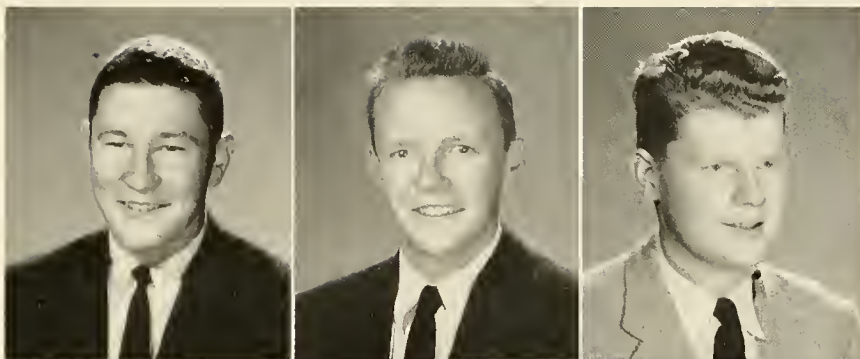
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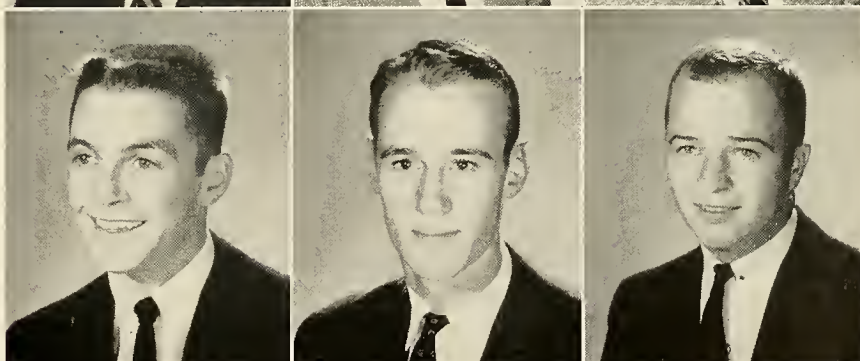


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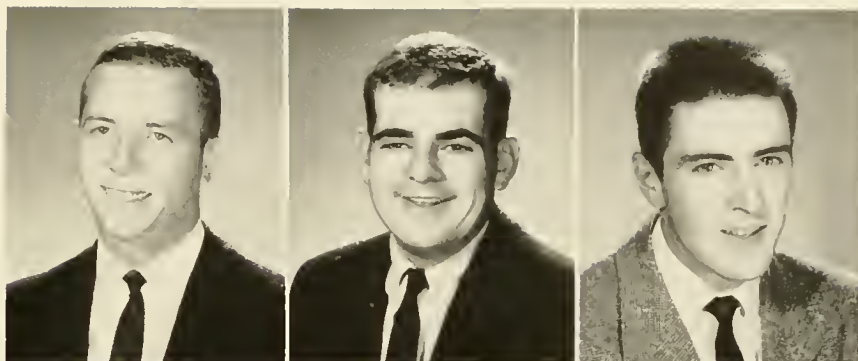
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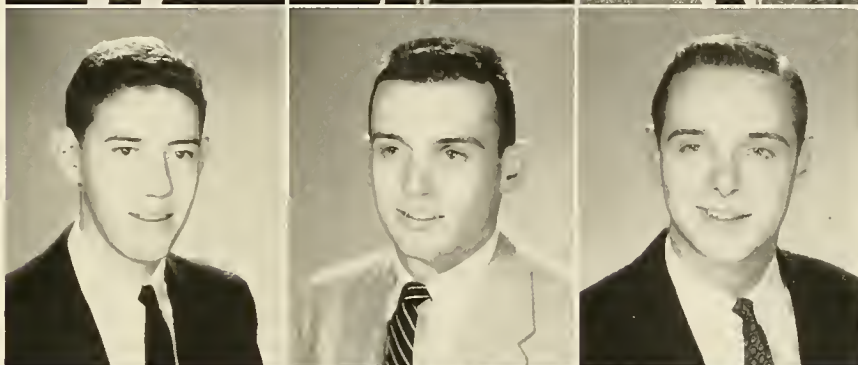


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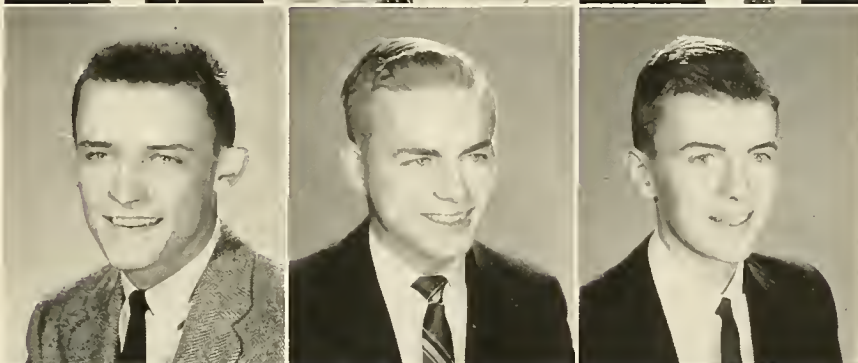


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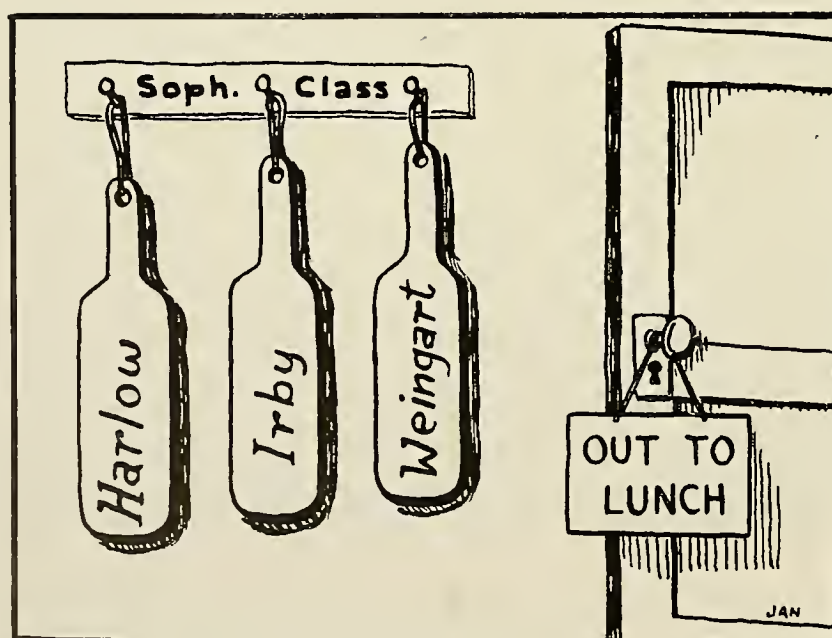
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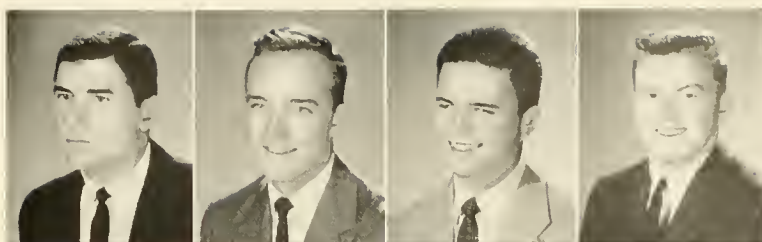
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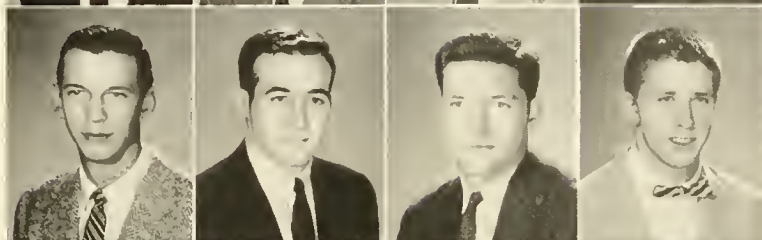
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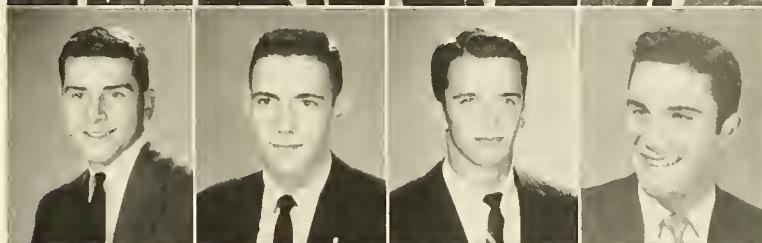
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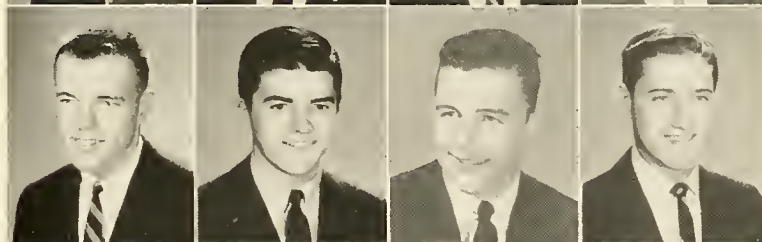
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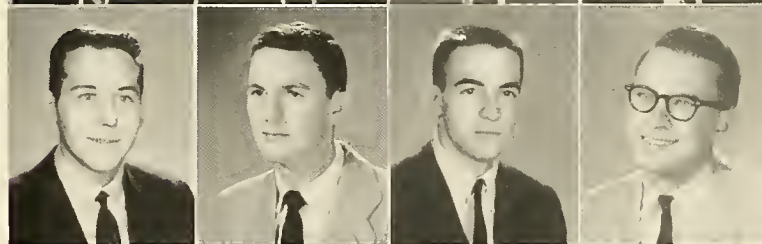
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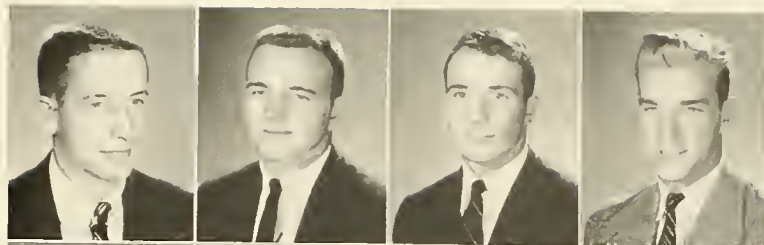
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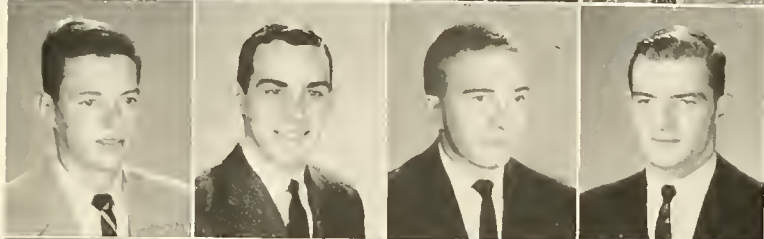
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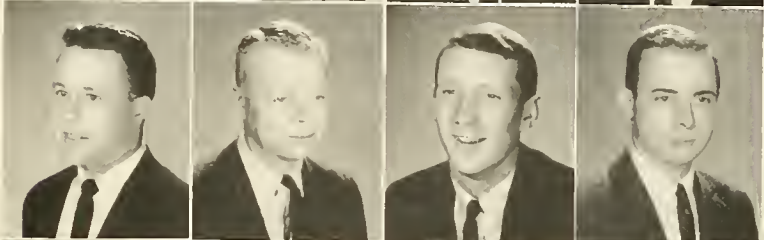
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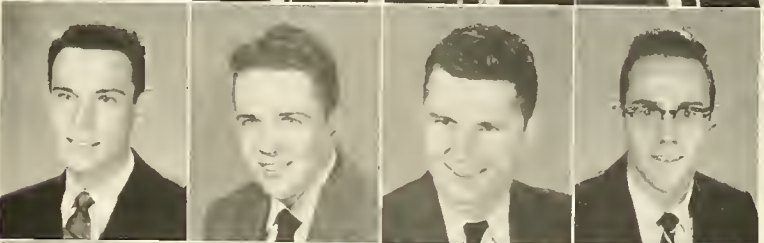
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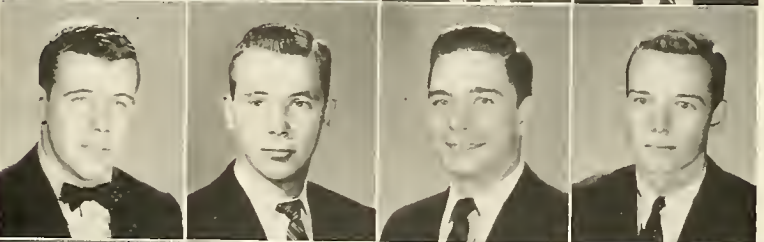
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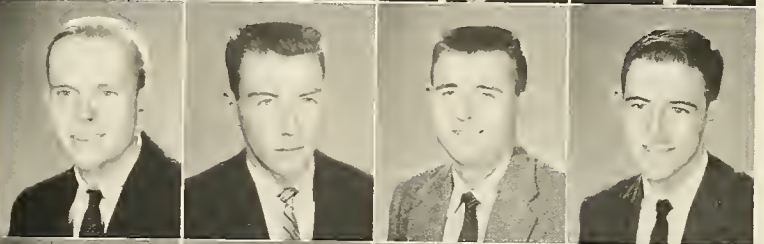
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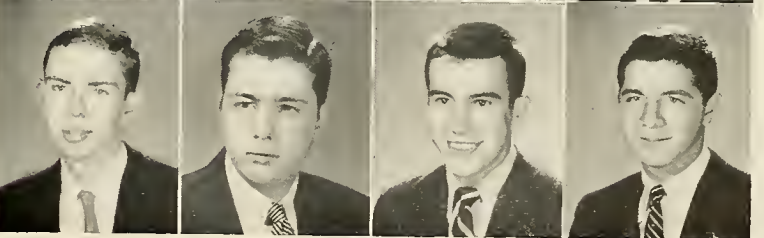
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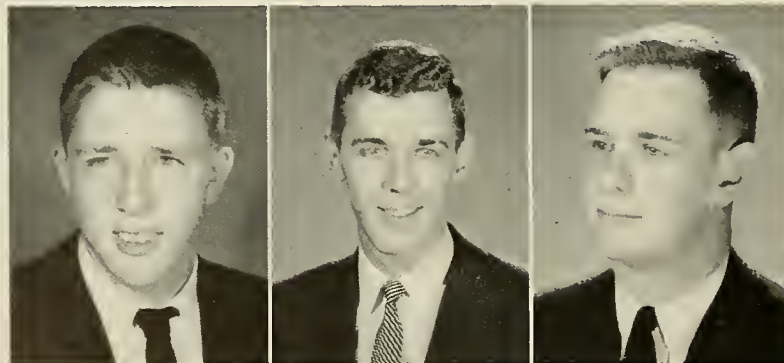
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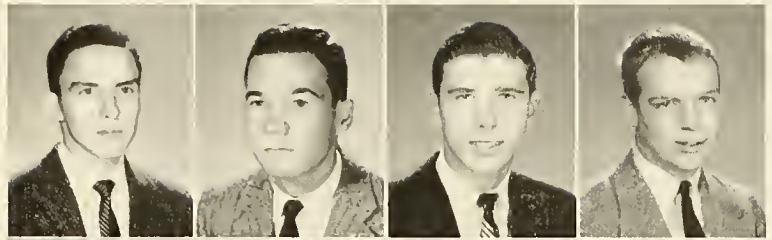
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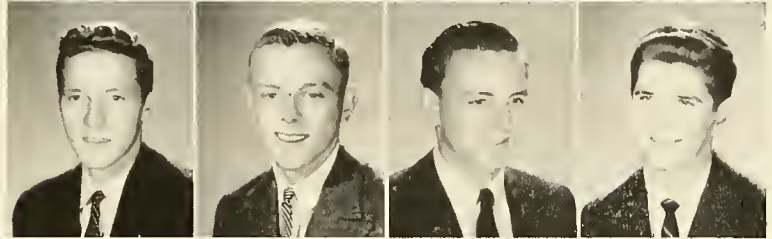
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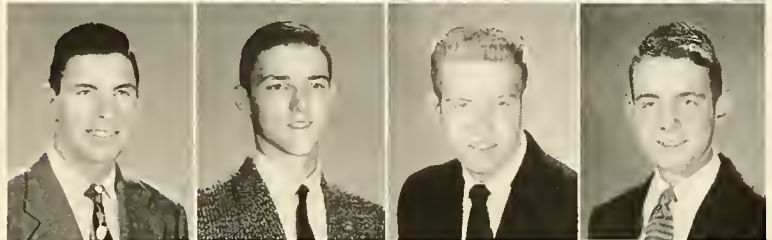
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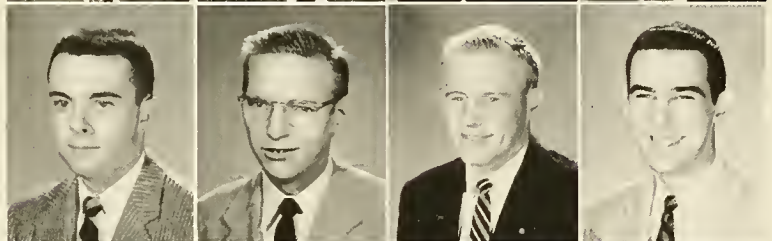
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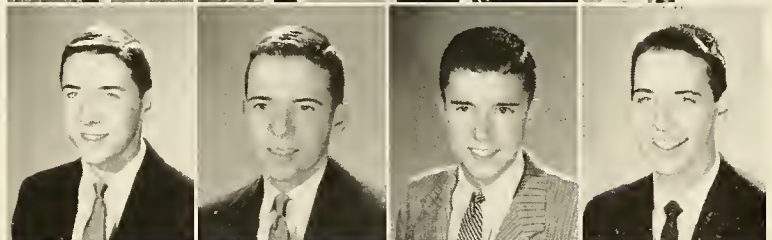
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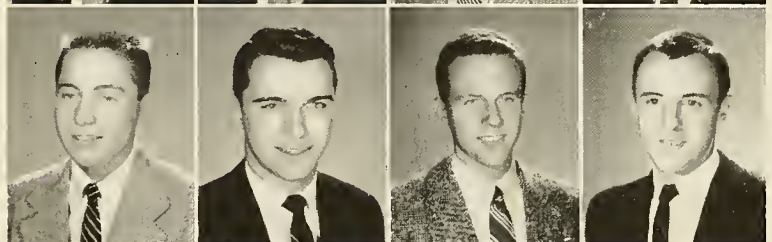
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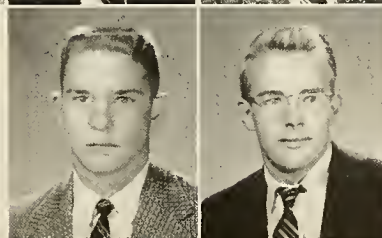
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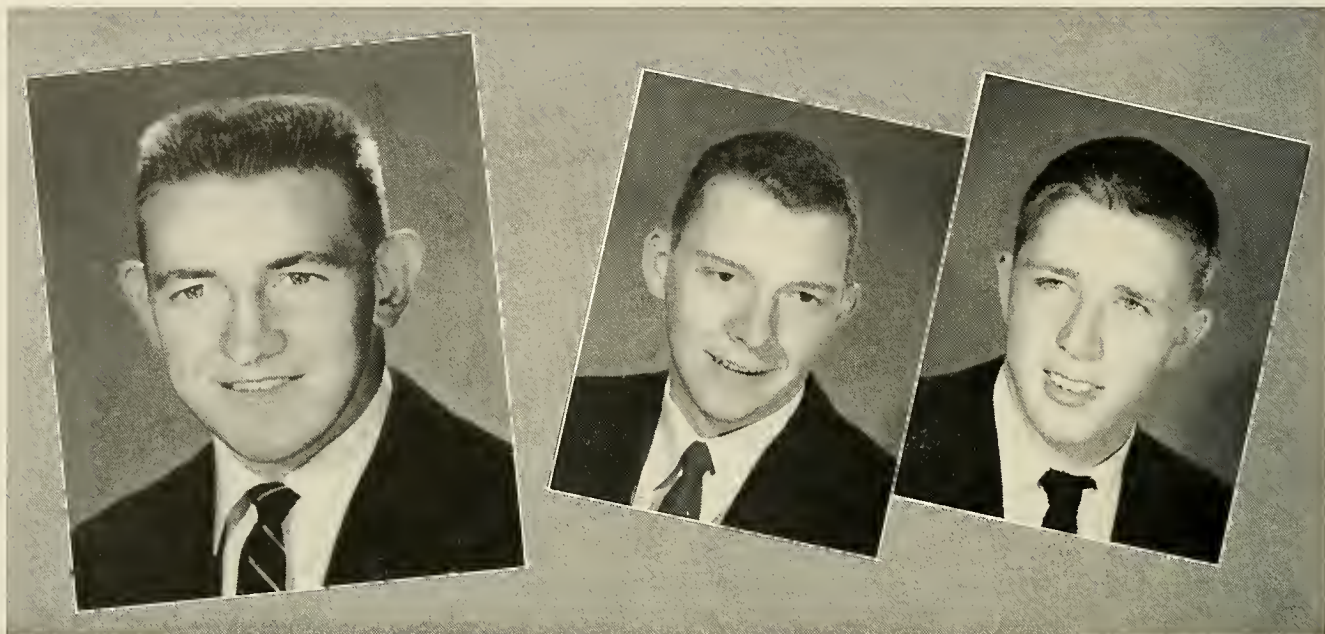
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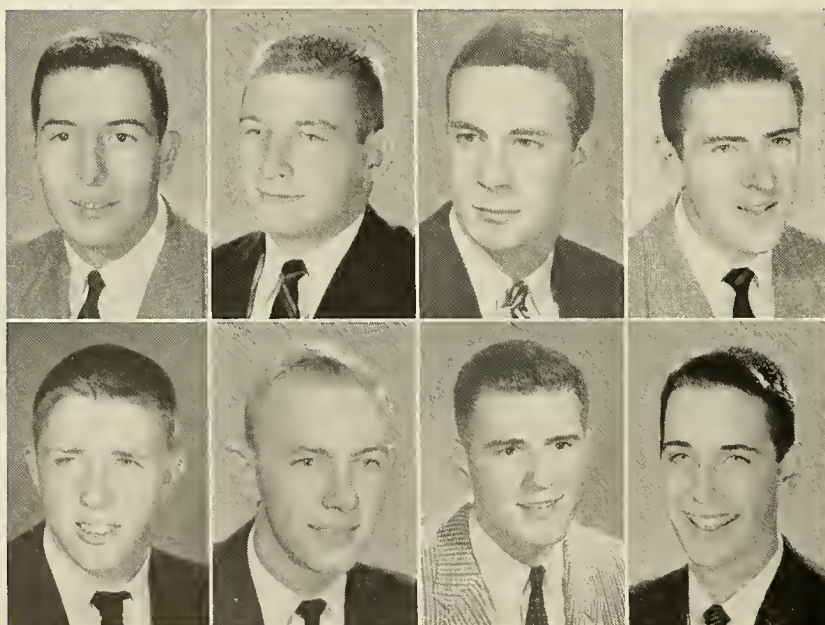


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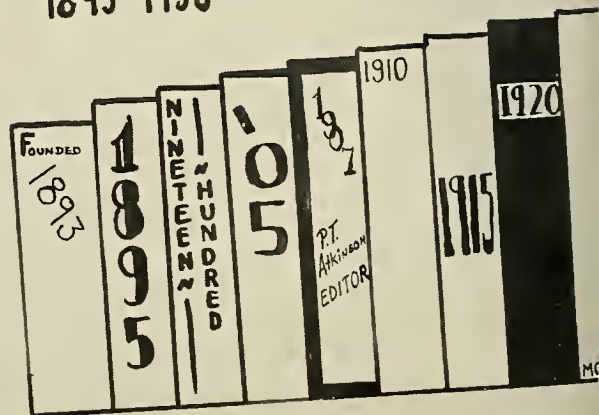


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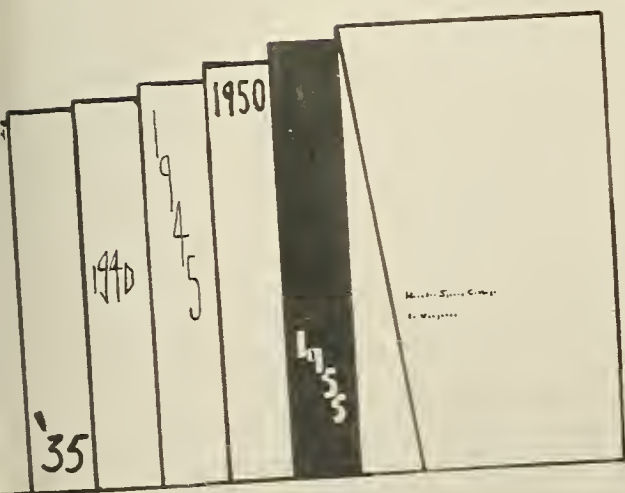


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seem Howard Keel. The Voad's house- at has hold believes Keel is a mystic, able to predict and change the future, but the philosophical beg- gina-gar attributes it all simply to idently. Kismet. His pseudo- powers got into more than one predicament before all ends well. This was no surprise. Keel has a pretty good average for winding up with healthy leading ladies.

The production was not without imperfection however. It failed, as do most, to move fast enough and at times we were almost as bored as Vic Damone, who should definitely go back to radio after this.

Mias Blyth, who had the misfortune of playing opposite Damone, comes through with her usual charming performance. And her voice sounds more like that of a refuge from Rudolph Bing's troops than what we'd expect from Little Ann Blyth. She could have easily been Dorretta Morrow's understudy.

But the show stealers were the three dancing partners from some- brought directly from the

continually clever.

Howard Keel, sort of a poor- man's Alfred Drake anyway, played the leading role of Hajj, the beggar, who in one day rises to Emir of Bagdad. The compli- ment if you have

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Forward John Putt shoots for two points against Loyola last Friday night a week ago.

Tigers Lose To Loyola, American U.; Bengals Top L-C;

The Hampden-Sydney Tigers opened an important home stand against three Mason-Dix foes by bowing to league-rival Loyola by a score of 67-53. The Bengals, winners of four straight games, trailed by only 2 points at the intermission, but the Greyhounds' superior depth enabled them to pull away at the end of the game.

Loyola jumped off to a 19-advantage, but the Tigers, paced by Doug Joyce and Chuck McTear, rallied to go ahead by 23-15 with 3:15 remaining in the half. The two teams then traded goals with center George Leyh's shot giving the Greyhounds a 3-29 lead at the half. After intermission, however, it was a different story, as the Tiger sharpshooters went cold. Loyola then pulled away to a 53-41 margin before Hampden-Sydney snapped the game.

H-S, 73; J-H, 59

Hampden-Sydney, after two consecutive Mason-Dixon losses,

Coach Miller cleared his bench during the four consecutive victories.

H-S Blasts Yellow Jackets, 67-60; Wednesday

in Over Maroons by to Conference

BY BOB PILCHER

The Bengal took to the hard at Gammon Gym last Friday night to avenge an early upset to arch-rival Randolph-Macon before one of the largest home crowds of the season.

It was a hard-fought battle all way and the Jackets never gave up. However, superior rebounding and shooting by forward Doug Joyce and Warren Hatcher put the Tigers ahead 35-30 at the half.

Of course of the present time it is a little hard to know exactly what the fortunes along this line may be, but it is a sure bet that we won't go unnoticed in either direction.

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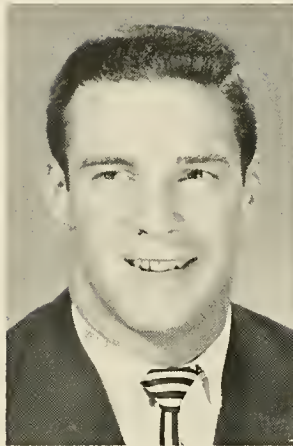


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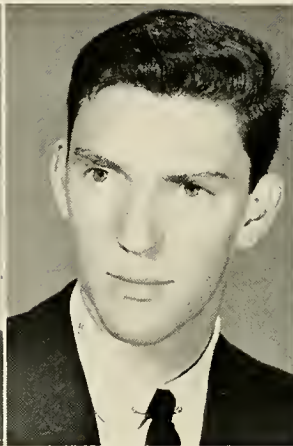




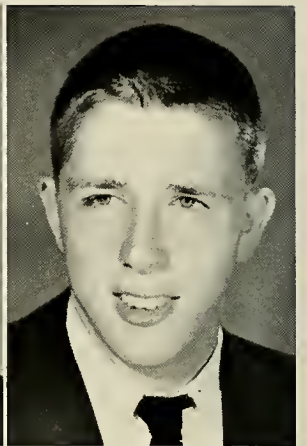
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MONDAY

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Classroom Discussion:

1st Period—Economics 1A—Dr. Marsh; Bible 1A—Dr. Stoner.

2nd Period—Economics 2C—Dr. Marsh, Chemistry 2C—Dr. Stern.

3rd Period—Dr. Hall will speak. Attendance is required.

Dr. Stern will meet with the faculty of the Science

Department. Dr. Hall will meet with the professors of

Education and literature.

Dr. Stoner will speak on "Are you fit to be tied?" Dr. Stoner

will lead a discussion of marriage in College.

University Christian Mission To Use What Do You Have and Need as Theme

Religious Emphasis Week will be held on the Hampden-Sydney campus next week, October 17-21. The theme will be "What do you have? What do you need?" SCA President Chuck Motley announced today. Five well known Christian speakers, Drs. James B. Stoner, B. Frank Hall, Adolph J. Stern, Raymond J. Seeger, and Charles F. Marsh, will lead the discussions and programs. These men occupy positions of eminence in the fields of economics, education, science, and theology.

The theme "What do you

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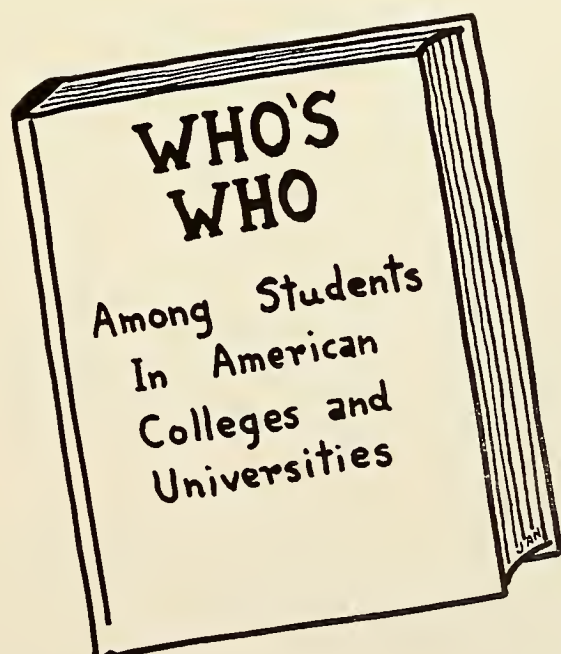
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Marrow

Edmondson
Richards
Moseley
Putt
Niemeijer

Hall
Sanders
Pugh
Whichard
Stallard

Hoover
Tigmo
Traylor
Cooksey
Saylor

Kulp
Warfield
Baylor
Giglio
Warren

Lyle
Bailey
Cooke
Hodges



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CHI PHI

Founded 1824

Epsilon Chapter on Chi Phi was established at Hampden-Sydney March 2, 1867. Epsilon, being in its eighty-ninth year of continuous existence, is the oldest chapter of a national fraternity on the campus.

Due to helpful and interested alumni association and the particular efforts of a few, the present house and grounds have been well kept through the years.

Last year Epsilon made an excellent record for itself with many of the brothers representing the chapter in all of the varsity sports, in publications, and honorary fraternity offices. We were especially fortunate to win the intramural trophy.

As always the brothers found time to keep up the social side of campus life, and Spring Parties of the last year was proof of this, as was Homecomings of this past fall. Over 400 persons were fed at our buffet supper before the festivities of that night.



MISS BETTY MAAS
Longwood College
Roanoke

EPSILON CHAPTER

Established Hampden-Sydney March 2, 1867

Frater in Faculte

Robert Thruston Hubbard, Jr.

Frater in Urbe

Robert Kincaid Brock

Fratres in Collegio

Class of 1956

George Batte Barner, Jr.
Frederick Albert Bebeau
Edward Lebbeaus Breeden, III
William Tucker Carrington, Jr.
William Pagan Edmondson, Jr.
Leon Curtis Hall, Jr.

Lawrence Harold Hoover, Jr.
James Elsworth Kulp
Royster Lyle, Jr.
George Otis Mead, III
John Nichols
Andrew Apostle Raptis, Jr.

William Thomas Reed, III
John French Richards
Edward Lorraine Sanders
John Anthony Francis Tigmo, Jr.
Calvin Norwood Warfield, Jr.

Class of 1957

John Wendell Bailey, Jr.
Thomas Pollard Bowe, Jr.
Joseph Dave Dunn

George Lamb Buist Grinnan
Henry Hanna McVey, III
William Oliver Moseley, Jr.

Summer Riddick Pugh, Jr.
Robert Gates Traylor

Class of 1958

Corydon Mercer Baylor, Jr.
Thomas Shelton Bryant, Jr.
Edward Eugene Cooke

Roy Benjamin Dawson, Jr.
Otho Lee Gladding, III
Michael Grier O'Neill

Harry Borum Price, III
John Horsley Putt, Jr.
Francis Merrill Whichard

Class of 1959

Robert Thomas Cooksey
Wallace William Giglio
Seth Richardson Hodges

Philip Aylett Hoge
Murrill Norton Howe, Jr.
Drury Hunter Marrow, III
Theodorus Niemeijer

Bobby Gene Saylor
Hubert Ray Stallard
Fred Goddier Warren



Allison
Peterson
Duncan
Siersama, R.

Evans
Siersama, E.
Griggs
Scales

Harrison
Shelton
Gwyn
Anderson

Leverty
Sutor
Haar
Dobyns
Richmond

Drumeller
Tynes
Neal
Carter
Weaver

Early
Barker
Neblett
Ferneough
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McDermott
Clark
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SIGMA CHI

Founded 1885

Sigma Sigma Chapter concludes the year with flying colors as usual, but with the loss of four elder brothers, Allison, Evans, Harrison, and Leverty.

In the course of the year we held our own in Intramurals, extra-curricular activities and on the athletic field. Ed Siersema continued as a star on the Death Valley Diamond, as did Bill Tynes.

Pledging added eleven new Sigs to the roll. Parties at Homecoming and Midwinter were enjoyed by all.

Siersema surprised us all by coming up with our Sweetheart, Dinny Coates.



MRS. DINNY COATES SIERSEMA

SIGMA SIGMA CHAPTER

Established at Hampden-Sydney 1872

Fratres in Urbe

Joseph Clarke Robert

Ray Atkinson Moore

Fratres in Facultate

Denison Maurice Allan

Henry William Hoffman

Fratres in Collegio

Class of 1956

Thomas Barclay Allison, Jr.
Edward Livingston Evans, III

Archibald Cary Harrison, III
Alexander Piersen Leverty

Class of 1957

William Hickson Drumeller
Edward William Early
Arthur Ellsworth Koch, III
Robert Dennis Morton

William Banks Peterson
Edwin Wertz Siersema
Walter Carlton McDermott, Jr.
Hugh Burwell Marshall

Clyde Edward Shelton
Edward Lewis Sutor, III
William Vernon Tynes, II

Class of 1958

Robert Quillen Barker
Thomas James Clark, III
Charles McDonald Cowan, Jr.
Philip Coleman Davis
Gerald Lee Duncan

William Lemuel Griggs, III
Kenneth Richard Gwyn
Frederick Hubbard Haar
Thornton Jennette Neal
Nathaniel Palmer Neblett

Samuel Ames Nock
Henry Andrew Prillaman, Jr.
John Lester Ritter, Jr.
Reynold Clinton Siersema, Jr.

Class of 1959

Richard Lynn Anderson, Jr.
Robert Walker Carter
George Edward Dobyns
James Goss Ferneyhough

Thomas Leon Grove, Jr.
Robert Mark Pence
Edward Hagan Richmond, Jr.
Taylor Robison Smith

Frederick Garrett Weaver
Ralph Lloyd Warren
James Kendrick Woodley, Jr.



Finks
Gardner
Fronfelter
Sheppard

Hodges
Grinnan
Hanes
Stern

Keating
Hatcher
Harlow
Wilkins

Robertson
Mundin
Harris
Bailey
Person

Sessoms
Pembroke
Harrison
Benson
Pierle

Toland
Wiley
Land
Dunn
Sawyer

Wallace
Ames, C.
Muhleman
Lynch

Davila
Ames, W.
Price
Mastin

Farinholt
Cox
Richardson
Maupin



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Secretary

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Treasurer

KAPPA SIGMA

Founded 1867

Upsilon of Kappa Sigma had an outstanding year highlighted by invincible parties and genuinely alive spirit.

With help from Alumni, the house was partly refinished, and preparations for a front yard with grass were begun.

Of course we had as usual a charming sweetheart. This year it was Miss Betty Pulley of Warsaw. Our greatest thanks to her being such a gracious hostess and lovely sweetheart.

Best luck to the graduating seniors. We expect to see you return to the big red house on the hill next year for more great week ends together.



MISS BETTY PULLEY
Warsaw

UPSILON CHAPTER

Established at Hampden-Sydney 1883

Frater in Urbe

Graves Haydon Thompson

Frates in Collegio

Class of 1956

Lee Walton Finks, III
Fred Murchison Hodges, Jr.

James Joseph Keating, Jr.
Malcolm Bruce Robertson
Richard Burt Sessions

William Edwin Toland
James Edmund Boyd Wallace

Class of 1957

Jose Ramon Davila
James Brown Farinholt, Jr.
William Ryland Gardner, Jr.

Randolph Bryan Grinnan, III
James Linwood Hatcher, Jr.
Lewis Howard Mundin, III

Claude Graham Pembroke, Jr.
Joseph Badger Shelor
James Langhorne Wiley, Jr.

Class of 1958

Charles Chilcote Ames
John Wilson Ames, Jr.
Parke Hunter Cox, Jr.
Gene Meade Fronfelter
Thomas FitzHugh Hanes

Edward Swain Harlow, Jr.
Percy Harris, III
Thomas Pelton Harrison
Wayne Ellis Land
Albert Kent Muhleman

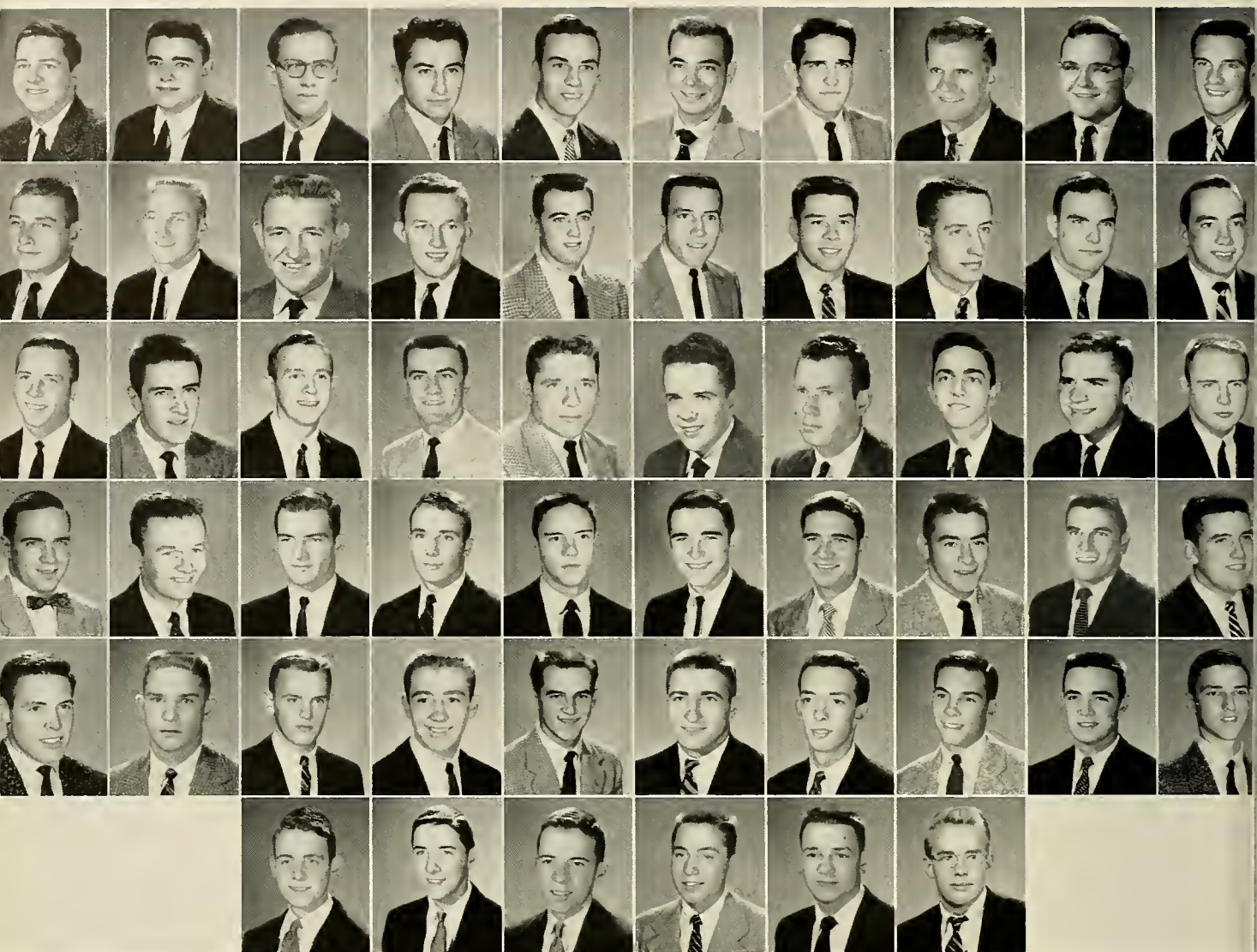
Robert Howell Price, Jr.
William Cahill Richardson, Jr.
Henry Holt Shephard
Venable Lane Stern, Jr.
Charles Frederick Wilkins, Jr.

Class of 1959

Dean Adcock Bailey
Edward Lafayette Benson, III
Miles Shipman Brooks

Gerald Woodrow Dunn, Jr.
Robert Randolph Harrison, III
Reginald Sheldon Lynch
Waverly Gill Person

Robert Christopher Pierle, Jr.
William Stewart Pierce
Warren Allen Sawyer



Britt
Poland
Smith, B.
Wells
Fletcher

Carrington
Sommar Dahl
Taylor
Williams
Harkrader

Carter
Smith, J.
Hopkins
Melton
Hutchinson
Wayland

Costley
Turner
Humphreys
Leafe
LeHew, R.
Whitley, D.

Harris
Woody
Marlow
Antrim
Lucas
Whitley, T.

Harrison
Denny
Nicholls
Bryant
McClure
Wilkins

Henry
Grubb
Trammel
Cunningham
Porterfield
Word

Key
Lambert
Shelton
English
Ralsten
Yancy

Pilcher
Lee
Vaughan
Felt
Richmond

Mottley
LeHew, W.
Waters
Fennel
Walker



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PI KAPPA ALPHA

Founded 1868

Iota of ΠΚΑ has enjoyed a very successful year under the leadership of Jim Smith, who took over the presidency of the Fraternity and the Student Body from Stokeley Fulton.

The year got off to a stellar start with record crowds at Homecomings, at combo parties and at the ΠΚΑ State Ball in Richmond, with Iota's Dream-girl, Miss Mary Margaret Ayres representing H-S.

In leadership, we feel that it has been one of our best years. Bob Pilcher was selected to ΟΔΚ; Jim Smith and Phil Key to Who's Who, Chuck Mottley to SCA President and Captain of Basketball team. Jim Smith, Bernie Marlow, and Ron Henry co-captained athletic teams, and Ron was selected to the little All American Team.



MISS MARY MARGARET AYRES
Roanoke

IOTA CHAPTER

Established at Hampden-Sydney 1885

Frater in Urbe

Paul Tulane Atkinson

Frater in Facultate

Thomas Edward Gilmer

Fratres in Collegio

Class of 1956

John Mills Britt, Jr.
Frank Gamble Carrington, Jr.
Franklin James Carter
Horace Edward Costley, Jr.
Herbert Witt Harris, Jr.

Robert Walker Harrison
Ronald Malcolm Henry
Phillip Winfrey Key
Robert Mason Pilcher, Jr.
Thomas Rector Poland

James Harrison Smith
Carl Hjalmar Sommarudahl, Jr.
James McCorkle Turner
Bernard Lee Woody, Jr.

Class of 1957

Charles Melvin Denny
Walter Lee Grubb, Jr.

Edward Pennington Lambert, Jr.
Thomas Emmett Lee
Willette Lewis LeHew

Benny Bennett Smith
James Creede Taylor, Jr.

Class of 1958

Albert Sidney Johnson Hopkins
Robert William Humphreys
Samuel Alexander Nicholls
James Mackey Trammell

Palmer Darrell Shelton
Joseph Paul Vaughn, Jr.
John Hardy Waters, III
Frederick Wheelock Wells

William DuPriest Williams
Joseph Albert Leafé
James Conley Melvin

Class of 1959

Charles Massie Antrim
William Owen Bryant
Robert Quarles Cunningham
Glen Conrad English
James Robert Felty
Harry Thomas Fennell
Thomas Hines Fletcher
Paul Douglas Harkrader, Jr.

Paul Randall Hutchinson, Jr.
Richard Allen LeHew
Charles French Lucas
William Carlton McClure, Jr.
Thomas Buchanan Porterfield
John Neville Ralsten
William Shackleton Richmond
Marion Bagley Walker, Jr.

Robert Ramsey Wayland, Jr.
Donald Pope Whitley
Ronald Tyler Whitley
William Palmer Wilkins, Jr.
Thomas Scott Word, Jr.
Richard Alexander Yancy, Jr.



Bredrup
Carter
Bekenstine
King
Dice

Griffin
Dick
Boyd
Meador
Duckwall
Robb

Martin
Frazer
Brown
Rosanelli
Edwards
Roper

Nottingham
Fulghum
Buck
Seay
Epes
Wade

Rawls
Harrelson
Copeland
Shaughnessy
Griffin
Shield

Sadler
Holcomb
Hoge
Sheperd
Hippensteel
Smith

Walker
Simmons
Holladay
Trible
Jones
Waddill

Weaver
Titus
Holt
Wilhour
Kremer
White

White
Watts
Hurt
Brooks
Raine
Whitehead

Bird
Wright
Irby
DeLo
Rickman



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KAPPA ALPHA

Founded 1865

After vacation memories and summer tans had faded, we of Alpha Tau settled down dutifully to the grim prospect of just another humdrum year at H-S. But soon we were all pleasantly reawakened to the fact that college life has its interesting side. Homecomings in November proved tremendously successful, including a mammoth buffet supper and an attempt on the part of the chapter to relive memories of the Mecca with Virgil and his boys helping out combo-wise. The Rose Dance, with lovely Miss Nollner Morrissett reigning as the KA Rose, was a highlight of the post-Christmas lull when exams were closing in.

Midwinters, pledge parties, trips to the lake on sunny afternoons, cries of "Anyone for golf?"—and suddenly, Spring. To our Seniors, "Cheerio, and good luck outside these sacred halls."



MISS NOLLNER MORRISSETT
Salem College
Lynchburg

ALPHA TAU CHAPTER

Established at Hampden-Sydney 1899

Frater in Urbe

Benjamin Rice Lacy, Jr.

Frater in Facultate

Thomas Edward Crawley

Fratres in Collegio

Class of 1956

Ole Christian Bredrup, Jr.
Jesse Hughes Griffin
Leon Martin Harris, Jr.

Maurice Nottingham, Jr.
John Ashburn Rawles
John Edward Sadler, Jr.

Herman Belote Walker
James Walton Weaver
James Shelby White

Class of 1957

George Campbell Bird
Warren Burke Carter
William Murray Dick
James Gordon Frazer

Peter Clopper Fulghum
Austin Barrow Harrelson
Russell Frederick Holcomb, Jr.
Linwood Banks Simmons

Clifton Ross Titus, Jr.
Thomas Ashby Watts, III
Fletcher Johnston Wright, III

Class of 1958

Alexander Laing Bekenstein
James Nalle Boyd
Julius Littleton Bunting Brown
Frank Buck
Richard Snowden Copeland
Edward Jefferson Hoge

Beverly Long Holladay, Jr.
Charles Linwood Holt
Wallace Bennett Hurt
Henry Claiborne Irby, Jr.
Charles Edward King, Jr.
Raymond Maxwell Meador

Peter Rosanelli, Jr.
Herbert Leigh Seay
Charles Joseph Shaughnessy, III
Edward Clarence Shepherd, IV
George Meredith Tribble, III
John McKinney Wilhour

Class of 1959

Edgar Davis Brooks, Jr.
George Day Delo, Jr.
Jack Woodward Dice
Francis Joseph Duckwall
James Earl Edwards
Wilfred Armstrong Epes
Stanley Earl Griffin

James Robert Hippensteele
Owen Magruder Jones, Jr.
John Thomas Kremer, Jr.
Arthur Woolford Raine
George Edward Rickman
David Arthur Robb, Jr.
Bartlett Roper, Jr.

Marvin Wade Scott
George Ethelbert Shield
Lawrence Norfleet Smith, Jr.
Edmund Law Waddill
Frank Hope White
Asa Carter Whitehead, Jr.



Dennis
Cushnie
Perkins
Lyon

Flaxington
Harwood
Weingart
McGrath

Kilby
Hubbard
Nichols
Meadows

Nichols
Inge
Brodie
Osborne

Walker
Joynt
Copeland
Shepherd
Woosley

Bailey
Linton
Dillard
Waddill

Broddus
Martin
Dowell
Whitten

Butler
Montgomery
Ferguson
Wilcox

Chapman
Parker
Hess
Wood



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THETA CHI

Founded 1856

Nu Chapter has just experienced its most successful session in its forty year history. The year was begun with the completion of the chapter's new house; the event was hailed by both the brothers and the alumni.

Mrs. Robert Dennis acted as hostess at Nu's numerous social functions—Homecomings, Christmas Party, Midwinters, Spring Parties and Finals. The annual Homecoming festivities saw many alumni and friends returning to help open the new house and enjoy the buffet. Members of Nu were active in various phases of campus life, with members on the staffs of publications, on athletic teams, in the Glee Club and dramatics, and in scholarship.

With the Spring came a fine pledge class to increase Nu's strength. Both pledges and brothers attended the annual Mason-Dixon Jubilee, celebrated this year in Richmond.

Only one member, President Dennis, who led Nu through its successful year, was lost by graduation. To him we wish the best of everything in the future.



MRS. GLORIA THACH DENNIS
Farmville

NU CHAPTER

Established Hampden-Sydney College 1913

Frater in Facultate

Francis Ghigo

Fratres in Collegio

Class of 1956

Robert Jordan Dennis

Class of 1957

John Frederick Flaxington
Thomas Franklin Kilby

Irwin Matthew Nuchols
Robert Howe Walker

Class of 1958

Charles Sumner Bailey
Woodford Meade Broadus
Jameson George Buston, II
Sherwood Clay Buttler
Robert Rogers Chaplin, Jr.

Richard Churchill Cushnie
John Eliotte Harwood, Jr.
Maury Albon Hubbard, Jr.
Wellford Warriner Inge, Jr.
Richard George Joynt
Edward Miles Linton

William Childs Martin
John Rothwell Montgomery
Carl Ruben Nichols
William Trainham Perkins
Richard Ernest Weingart

Class of 1959

Charles Alvis Bodie
Stuart William Copeland
Alexander Fleet Dillard, Jr.
Clifton Argyle Dowell, III
William McLeod Ferguson, Jr.

William Robinson Hess
John Lawrence Lyon
Richard Pope McGrath
John Nuttal Meadows, Jr.
Elbert Plummer Osborne, Jr.
John Murdaugh Shepherd, Jr.

Randolph King Waddill
Lawrence Lee Whitten
John Richard Wilcox
Lawrence Barrow Wood, Jr.
Robert Lawrence Woosley, Jr.



Fisher
Towers
Hooks

Sharpe
Ware
Smith

Barnes
Wertz
Areheart

Johnson
Davis
Colley
Underwood

Mayse
Dennis
Embry

Moore
Dunham
Fegan

Morris
Garrow
Price



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EDGAR C. MAYSE
Secretary

CLARENCE R. GILLESPIE
Treasurer

LAMBDA CHI ALPHA

Founded 1909

With the return of the brothers early in September, Kappa Eta Zeta began another highly successful year with studies, intramurals, and parties keeping them occupied throughout the session. Improvements were made to both the house and grounds and new furniture purchased. Homecomings, Midwinters, and the Spring Party highlighted the social calendar and were presided over by our Crescent Girl, Miss Betty Jo Newcomb.

After midyear exams and the smokers of rush week, we welcomed our fine pledge class into the fold. We sincerely hope that their affiliation with Lambda Chi Alpha will be both inspiring and pleasant.

To our departing seniors, we wish the very best and we will long remember their contributions to the Chapter as well as to school and campus activities.



MISS BETTY JO NEWCOMB
Crewe

KAPPA ETA ZETA CHAPTER

Established at Hampden-Sydney 1926

Frater in Urbe

Claudius Hornsby Pritchard, Jr.

Fratres in Facultate

Phillip Hortenstein Ropp

David Cooper Wilson

Fratres in Collegio

Class of 1956

John Robert Fisher, III

Class of 1957

William Cole Barnes
Clarence Richard Gillespie
Thomas Palmer Johnson, Jr.

Edgar Caldwell Mayse
Frank Stanley Moore, Jr.
Robert Lee Morris
Robert Eugene Towers

Earle Rawlings Ware
John Price Wetherill, IV
George Edward Wertz

Class of 1958

Donald Moore Ault
Donald Weston Davis

Earle Dunham
Alpheus Wilson Embrey
Argyle Scott Garrow, Jr.

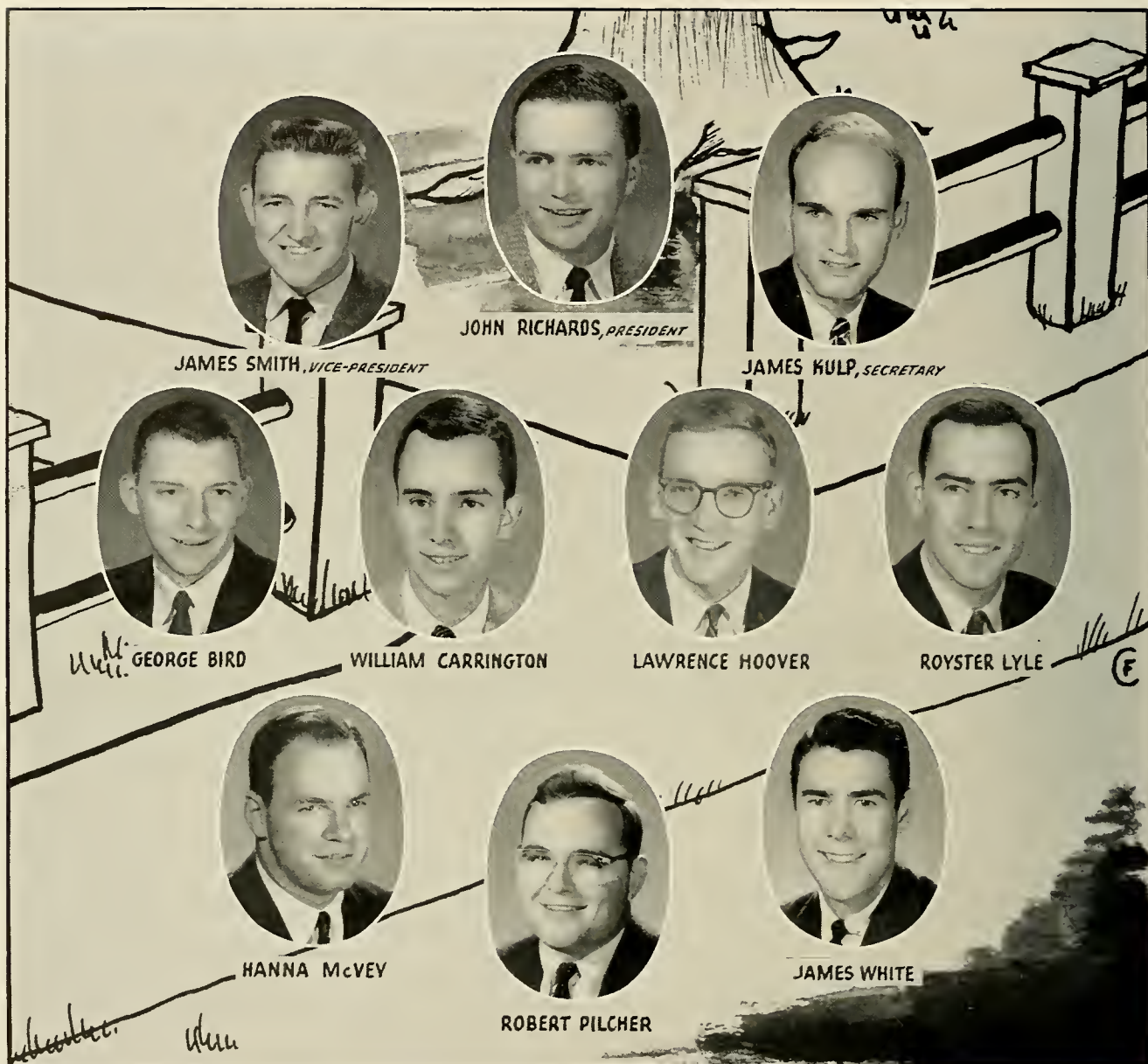
Guy McIver Hooks, Jr.
William DeGarmo Smith, Jr.

Class of 1959

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Thomas Murrell Colley

William Luther Fagan, Jr.
James Jackson Henry Price

Thomas George Underwood



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NATIONAL LEADERSHIP HONOR SOCIETY

FOUNDED WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY 1914

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1924



Robert Kincaid Brock
James Benton Hickey

Denison Maurice Allan
Thomas Edward Crawley
Francis Ghigo

George Campbell Bird
William Tucker Carrington, Jr.
Lawrence Harold Hoover, Jr.

Fratres in Urbe
Louis F. Miller
Ray Atkinson Moore
Claudius Hornby Pritchard, Jr.

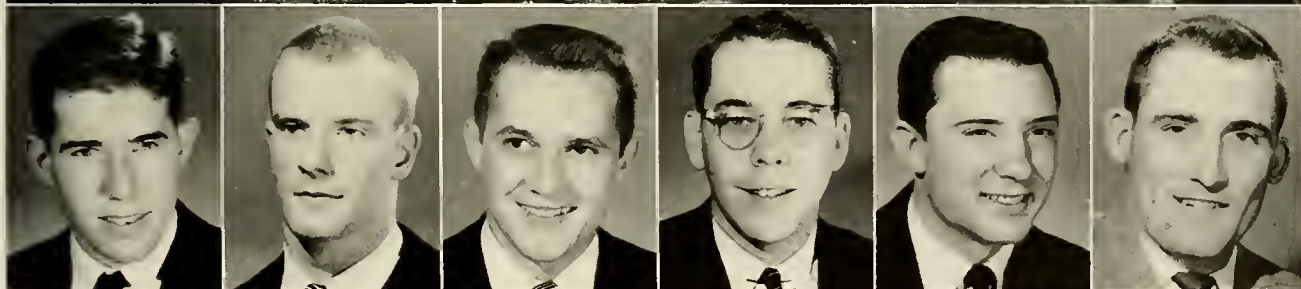
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Thomas Edward Gilmer
Robert Thruston Hubbard, Jr.
James Efrid Kinard
Charles Ferguson McRae

Fratres in Collegio
James Ellsworth Kulp
Royster Lyle, Jr.
Henry Hanna McVey, III
Robert Mason Pilcher, Jr.

Joseph Clarke Robert
J. H. Curry Winston

Philip Hortenstine Ropp
Graves Haydon Thompson
David Cooper Wilson

John French Richards
James Harrison Smith
James Shelby White



D. M. Allan

J. W. Crandall

W. H. Daughtery

R. W. Dent

E. H. Loud

R. E. Randolph

PHI BETA KAPPA SOCIETY

FOUNDED COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY 1776

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1949

Fratres in Facultate

Denison Maurice Allan

James Monroe Fredericksen

Thomas Edward Gilmer

Charles Ferguson McRae

Hinton Baxter Overcash

Philip Hortenstine Ropp

Joseph Clarke Robert

Graves Haydon Thompson

The following members of the Class of 1955 were elected to membership.

Denison Mowbray Allan

John Worth Crandall

William Hunter Daughtery

Roy William Dent

Edward Hynson Loud, Jr.

Robert Eugene Randolph





First Row: Austin, Scruggs, Carter, Carrington, Kirkpatrick, Tynes.

Second Row: Bird, Boyd, Edmondson, Hamrick, Barner, McVey, Odom.

ETA SIGMA PHI

NATIONAL HONORARY CLASSICAL FRATERNITY

FOUNDED UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO 1924

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1942

Frater in Urbe

Claudius Hornby Pritchard

Fratres in Facultate

Graves Haydon Thompson

David Cooper Wilson

Fratres in Collegio

Vernon Arthur Austin, Jr.

Lawrence Harold Hoover, Jr.

George Batte Barner, Jr.

Raymond Douglas Houck

George Campbell Bird

Gilbert Wyatt Kirkpatrick

James Nalle Boyd

Henry Hanna McVey, III

William Tucker Carrington, Jr.

William Lee Odom

Franklin James Carter

Langhorne Edward Scruggs

William Pagon Edmondson, Jr.

William Vernon Tynes, II

William Spencer Hamrick



LAWRENCE H. HOOVER, JR.
President



First Row: Rawls, Britt, Bredrup, Edmondson.

Second Row: Breeden, Sanders, Nicholson, Harris.

Third Row: Sherman, Leverty.

CHI BETA PHI

NATIONAL HONORARY SCIENTIFIC FRATERNITY

FOUNDED RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE 1916

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1921



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President

Soror in Urbe
Alice Elizabeth Overcash

Fratres in Facultate

J. H. Curry Winston

Samuel Macon Reed

Hinton Baxter Overcash

Denison Mowbray Allan

Thomas Edward Gilmer

Emmet Roach Elliot

Fratres in Collegio

Ole Christian Bredrup, Jr.

Edward Lebbaeus Breeden, III

John Mills Britt, Jr.

William Pagon Edmondson, Jr.

Leon Martin Harris, Jr.

James Ellsworth Kulp

Alexander Pierson Leverty

John Young Nicholson, III

John Ashburn Rawls

Edward Lorraine Sanders

John Wise Sherman, III

Parke Galusha McIlwaine





First Row: Finks, Barner, Fisher, Carrington.

Second Row: Hoover, Bird, Lyle, Gardner.

PI DELTA EPSILON

HONORARY COLLEGIATE JOURNALISM FRATERNITY

FOUNDED SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY 1909

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1939

Fratres in Collegio



George Batte Barner, Jr.	William Ryland Gardner, Jr.
George Campbell Bird	Fred Murchison Hodges, Jr.
Frank Gamble Carrington, Jr.	Lawrence Harold Hoover, Jr.
William Tucker Carrington, Jr.	Royster Lyle, Jr.
Franklin James Carter	Thomas Ashby Watts, III
Lee Walton Finks, III	Richard Ernest Weingart
John Robert Fisher, III	George Edward Wertz



FRED M. HODGES
President



First Row: Mottley, Sessoms, Carter, Gardner.

Second Row: Reed, Carrington, Allison, Bird, Lyle.

SIGMA UPSILON

NATIONAL HONORARY LITERARY FRATERNITY

FOUNDED VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY 1906

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1916



WILLIAM T. CARRINGTON
President

Soror in Urbe

Miss Elizabeth Carrington Eggleston

Frater in Urbe

Frank Spindler

Fratres in Facultate

Denison Maurice Allan
Graves Haydon Thompson
Francis Ghigo
Paul Livingston Grier
Philip Hortenstine Ropp

Willard Francis Bliss
Robert Thruston Hubard, Jr.
Thomas Edward Crawley, Jr.
Henry William Hoffman

Fratres in Collegio

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George Campbell Bird
Frank Gamble Carrington, Jr.
William Tucker Carrington, Jr.
Franklin James Carter
Lee Walton Finks, III
William Ryland Gardner, Jr.

Lawrence Harold Hoover, Jr.
Royster Lyle, Jr.
Hugh Burwell Marshall, Jr.
Charles Cranston Mottley
Claude Graham Pembroke, Jr.
William Thomas Reed, III
Richard Burt Sessoms



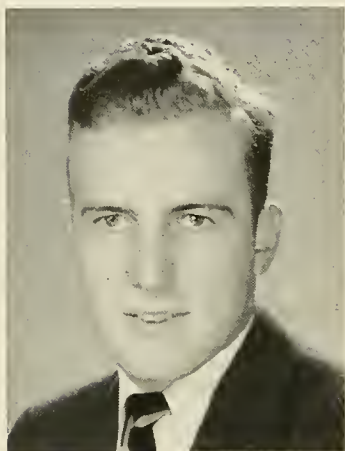


TAU KAPPA ALPHA

NATIONAL FORENSIC HONOR SOCIETY

FOUNDED INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 1908

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1923



JOHN A. RAWLS
President

Frater in Facultate

Denison Maurice Allan

Fratres in Collegio

Raymond Douglas Houck

James Albert Nichols

John Ashburn Rawls



ALPHA PSI OMEGA

NATIONAL HONORARY DRAMATIC FRATERNITY

FOUNDED FAIRMONT STATE COLLEGE 1925

ESTABLISHED HAMPDEN-SYDNEY COLLEGE 1932



JAMES A. NICHOLS
President

Frater in Facultate

Graves Haydon Thompson

Fratres in Collegio

Thomas Tucker Biggs

James Albert Nichols

Everett Russell Vass, Jr.



First Row:

James Kulp
Royster Lyle
Alex Leverty
William Tynes

Second Row:

Fred Hodges
Richard Sessoms
James Smith
Beverly Holladay

Third Row:

Ashby Watts
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Robert Walker
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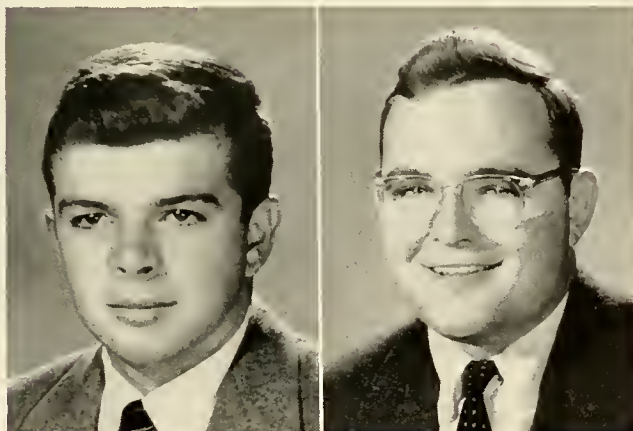
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In an effort to publish this book before the end of the school year, the spring sports for 1956 have been purposely omitted. A partial account of last season's baseball, tennis and track can be found in this publication.

The complete 1956 season will be carried next year.

—Ed.



ATHLETICS

DEDICATION . . .



JAMES BENTON HICKEY

The season of 1955 not only meant an outstanding record for the H-S Gridders, but it also became the last schedule for James B. Hickey, Athletic Director and Head Football Coach. In the five years that Coach Hickey led the Tigers, two remarkable records were compiled. The overall won-loss box score was more than favorable—but the other record was unprecedented; it was a record for instilling in a small college football team the highest degree of sportsmanship, character and a continuous will to win.

At the completion of his five years on the Hill, Coach Hickey was named by sports writers as Virginia's Coach of the Year, and rightly so—but in the catacombs of Gammon Gymnasium, Coach Hickey goes down as an all-time Tiger great.

THE BEST SEASON IN THE HISTORY . . .



. . . OF DEATH VALLEY FOOTBALL — WON 8 LOST 1



1955 FOOTBALLERS

1955 TIGERS — LITTLE SEVEN CO-CHAMPIONS



'55 RECORD

H-S	20
W. Va. Tech	0
H-S	8
Emory & Henry	0
H-S	7
Guilford	6
H-S	19
Johns Hopkins	6
H-S	31
Western Maryland	12
H-S	34
Bridgewater	0
H-S	35
Washington & Lee	7
H-S	6
Randolph-Macon	7
H-S	33
Sewanee	0

TOTALS

H-S	193
Opponents	52



HENRY NAMED TO LITTLE ALL-AMERICAN

Six Tigers Gain Berths on All-Little Seven

On December 1st it was announced that Hampden-Sydney's great end, Senior Ron Henry of Richmond, had been named to the second team of the Little All-America as selected by the Associated Press. Henry has lettered for four years in football, has been selected to the All-Little Seven football team on four occasions, and this year was honorary captain of that group.

Besides Henry, Hampden-Sydney placed five other men on this All-Little Seven team. The first team included Quarterback Jim Smith, Tackle John Hodges, and the team's leading scorer Bill LeHew. Bill, with 42 points, tied for second place in the state scoring race. Gaining second team positions were tackle Jim Frazer and guard John Tigmo.



Ron Henry, End—Co-Captain, All Little Eight, All State, Little All American

TIGERS BETTER W. VA. TECH, 20-14

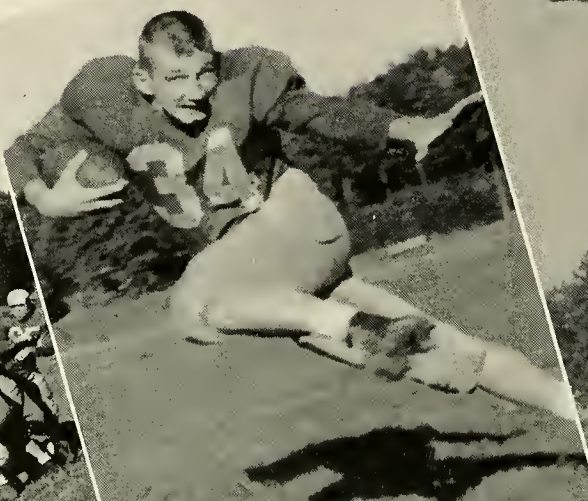
Hampden-Sydney, Sept. 17—In their opening game the Tigers notched their first victory after a shaky start. Trailing 7-0 at the half the Tigers managed to stage a comeback during the third period with Tommy Poland scoring from six yards out after a 35 yard drive. Sonny Sommar-dahl went over from the 4 after a Tech fumble had been recovered. End Tommy Lee put the game on ice in the fourth quarter by intercepting a pass and going the distance for the winning touchdown.



LINE PLAY



ED HARLOW, CENTER



TOM POLAND, BACK

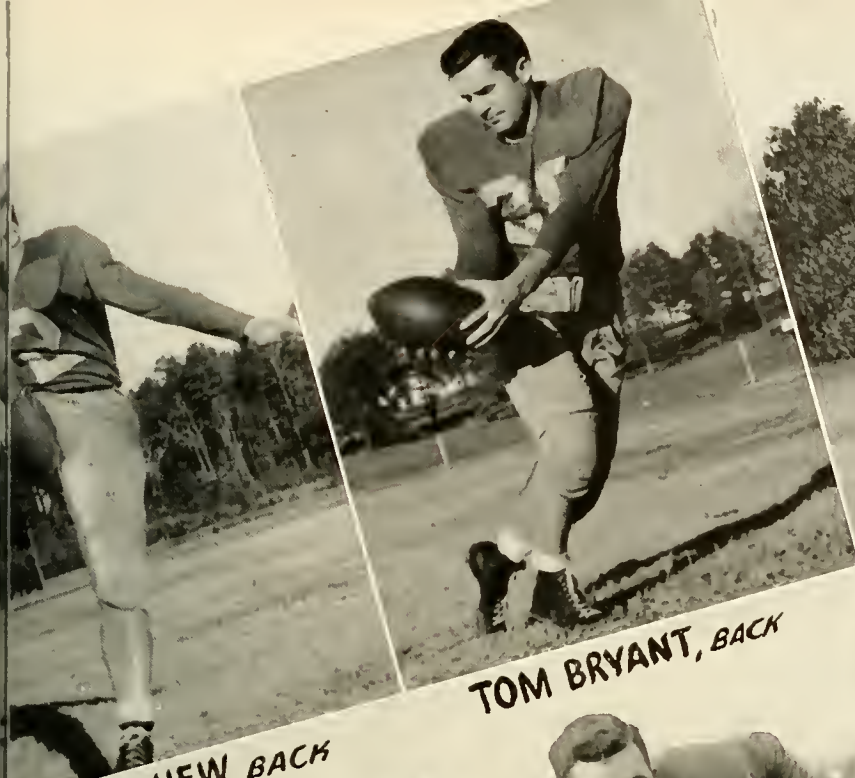


JIM SMITH, CO-CAPTAIN, BACK



JOHN TIGMO, GUARD



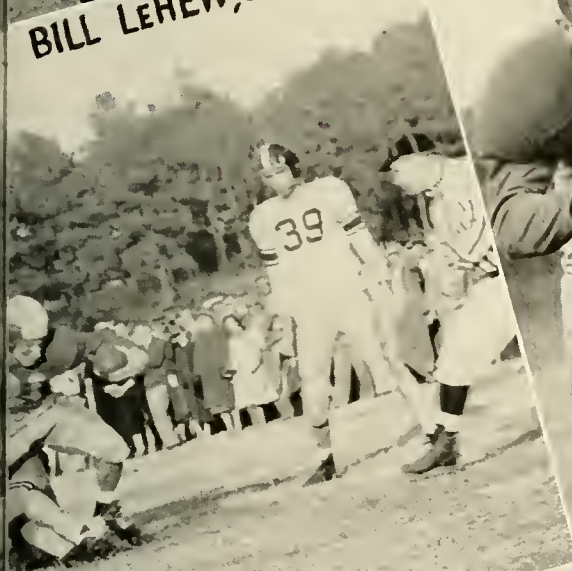


TOM BRYANT, BACK



PRE-GAME

BILL LEHEW, BACK



GENE COOKE, GUARD



BOB SAYLOR, CENTER

WOLAND CARRIES

TEAM EFFORT BRINGS WIN OVER EMORY & HENRY, 8-0

Bristol, Oct. 1—Hampden-Sydney ran its string of victories to seven over a two year span by downing Emory and Henry 8-0. Until the second quarter, it was a scoreless battle, but then Jim Smith, fading to pass, saw daylight and wound up in the end zone for six points. Late in the game Ed Harlow accounted for the remaining two points by downing the Wasp quarterback in his tracks as he was attempting a desperation pass from behind his own goal line.

BENGALS EDGE QUAKERS IN MUDFEST 7-6

Guilford, Oct. 8—In a muddy hard-fought game at Guilford, Hampden-Sydney scored a touchdown on the first play from scrimmage and then hung on to spoil Guilford's homecoming 7-6. The touchdown play came when quarterback Jim Smith tossed a 10 yard aerial to Wally Giglio, who then raced 65 yards for the score behind a terrific wave of blockers. Bobby Saylor's conversion provided the winning margin.

OFFENSE UNVEILED AS TIGERS DRUB
JOHNS HOPKINS 19-6

Baltimore, Oct. 15—Combining a 67 yard drive and a 3 yard touchdown plunge by full-back Bill LeHew, the Tigers caught fire and built up a lead over the Johns Hopkins Blue Jays, which they never relinquished. LeHew scored again after the half on a 63 yard play off tackle. In the fourth period Smith intercepted a pass deep in his own territory and didn't stop until he passed the Blue Jay's goal.



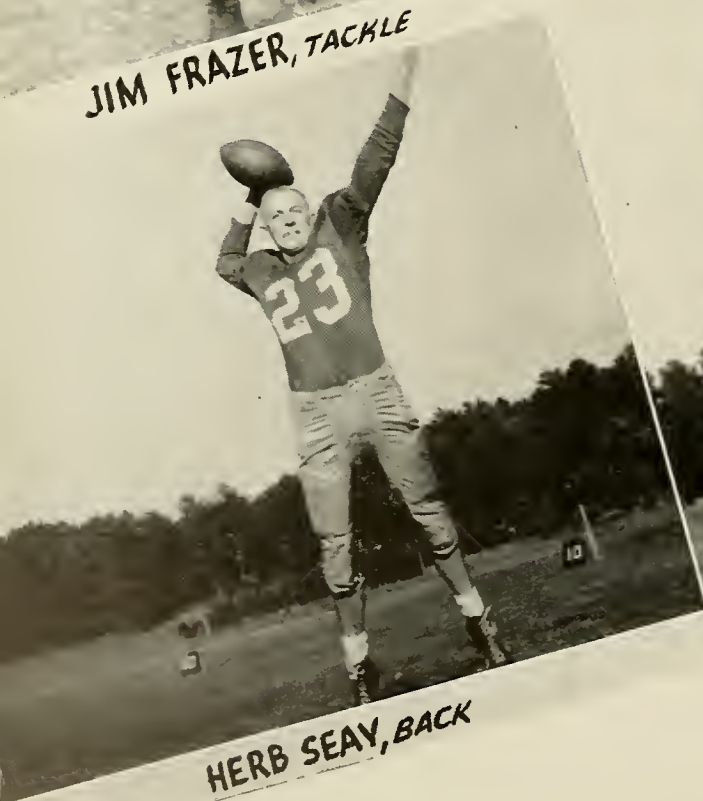
JIM FRAZER, TACKLE



JOE LEAFE, BACK



HAL McVEY, TACKLE



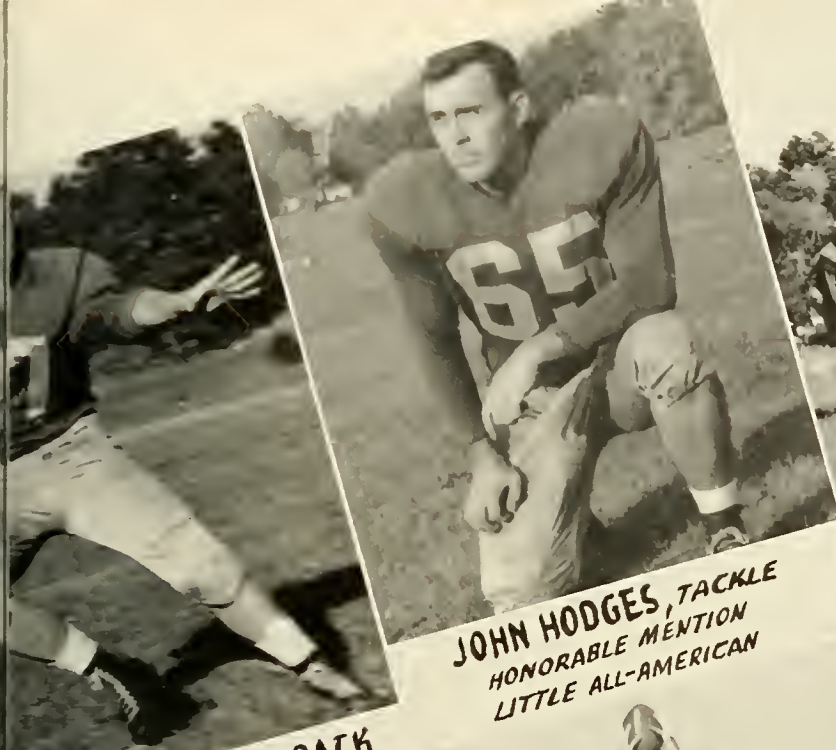
HERB SEAY, BACK



TOMMY LEE, END

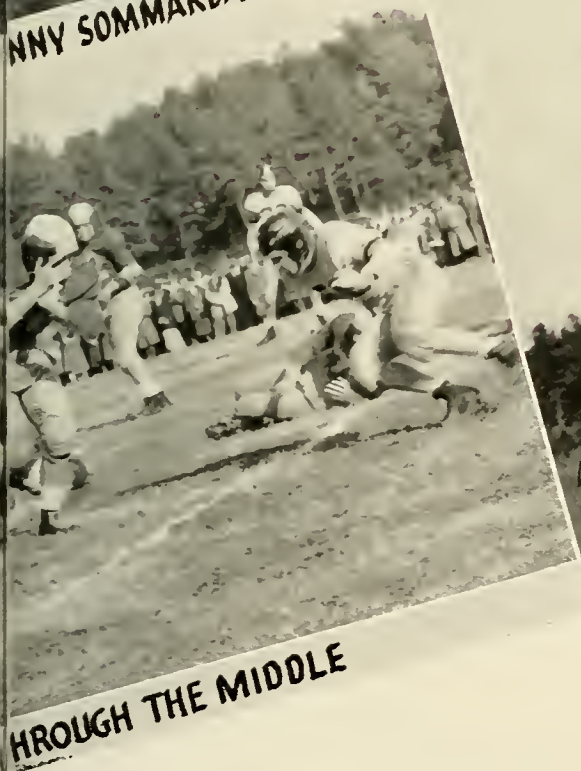


GAIN



JOHN HODGES, TACKLE
HONORABLE MENTION
LITTLE ALL-AMERICAN

DENNY SOMMARD AHL, BACK



THROUGH THE MIDDLE

TIGERS TROUNCE TERRORS 31-12

Hampden-Sydney, Oct. 22—Showing a very polished running game, Hampden-Sydney ran over Western Maryland, making 15 first downs in 59 plays to trample them 31-12. The punting of Bill LeHew and the running of backs Poland, Bryant, Giglio, and Denny was outstanding. Coach Hickey stated after the game that the ball club that day was the best he had coached here.



DEATH VALLEY SCENE



HORSLEY PUTT, END



W&L GAME

BRIDGEWATER NO CONTEST—TIGERS WIN 34-0

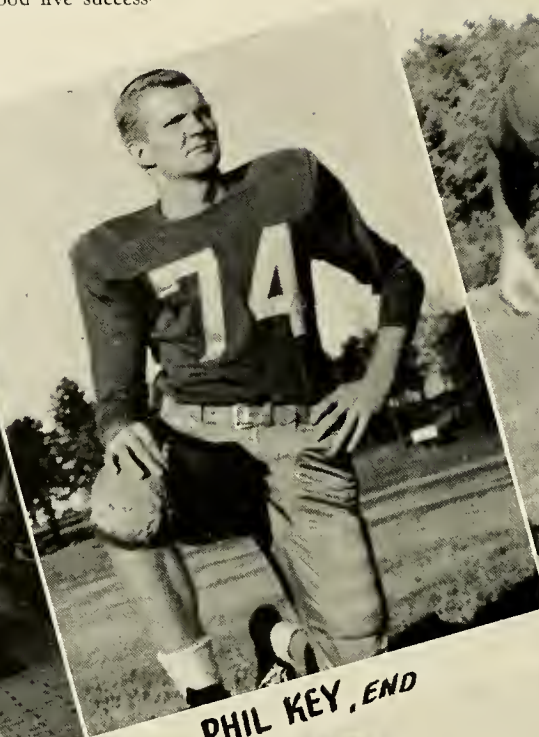
Harrisonburg, Oct. 29—The Tigers kept their unbeaten record intact as they downed a scrappy Bridgewater eleven 34-0. The first half the Eagles hard charging line managed to bog down the Tiger offense in an effort to upset the favored Hickey-men as part of their homecoming day celebration. Scoring only twice the first two periods, the Tigers finally managed to wear down the Eagle defenders and score four more times before the game-ending whistle.

HOMECOMING SUCCESS—BENGALS
THUMP W&L 35-7

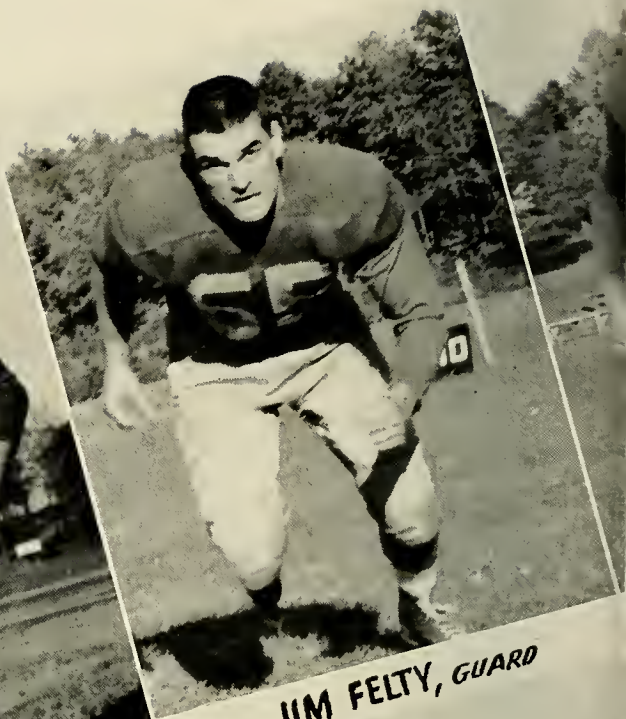
Hampden-Sydney, Nov. 5—An alert Hampden-Sydney team took advantage of every break to score in all quarters but the third while beating the Generals of W&L by a decisive margin. One of the stalwarts in the Tiger line, Jim Frazer, stole the show early in the game by intercepting a lateral pass from the W&L quarterback and lumbering 10 yards for his only score of the season. Others scoring were Bill LeHew, Jim Smith, John Tigmo, who made good five successive conversions.



LEAVING FOR SEWANEE



PHIL KEY, END



JIM FELTY, GUARD



DR. MOORE



CHARLIE DENNY, BACK



WALLY GIGLIO



FRED WELLS, TACKLE

WALTER GRUBB, END



HOMECOMING BENCH



BILL RICHMOND, BACK



MICKEY WHICHARD, BACK



ASHLAND CROWD

BAD DAY AT ASHLAND—R-M, 7-6

Ashland, Nov. 12—The hope for an undefeated season and the Mason-Dixon Conference championship title, plus a thirteen game winning streak, were all shattered as the Hampden-Sydney Tigers fell before the onslaught of arch-rival Randolph-Macon by a score of 7-6. After a scoreless first half, the Tigers drew first blood on a 77 yard jaunt by Bill LeHew; but the Yellowjackets, not to be denied, sent Bernie Pinchback on a 55 yard run to the H-S 3, from where John Graham scored and the extra point won the ball game.

BENGALS BOUNCE BACK BEATING SEWANEE 33-0

Sewanee, Nov. 19—Seeking revenge after suffering their lone setback of the season at the hands of Randolph-Macon the previous week, Hampden-Sydney overpowered with ease the University of the South, 33-0. Showing the strong scoring punch they had exhibited all through the season, the Tigers added to their score every quarter. Jim Smith was extremely accurate with his passes hitting Somnardahl and Lee for two touchdowns. Ronnie Henry rounded out a brilliant career in Garnet and Gray, by scooping up a blocked punt and running ten yards for another score. Bill LeHew's and Bill Richmond's six pointers rounded out the scoring in the last game of Hampden-Sydney's most successful season in history.



Coaches: "Weenie" Miller, Jim Hickey, Bob Thalman. Trainer Hank Read

"THEY ALL DID BANG UP JOBS, AND WE'RE PROUD OF THEM"—HICKEY.

Despite a 7-6 loss to Randolph-Macon on November 12th which ended Hampden-Sydney's longest football win streak in history at 12 games, it cannot be denied that the Bengals have completed their greatest single grid season since 1892.

The Presbyterians finished their '55 card at Sewanee, Tenn., with a 33-0 verdict to compile a record of eight wins against one loss. This impressive season gave them the best record in the state.

The loss at Randolph-Macon was more than just being on the short end of the score of one ballgame. It meant the ruination of an undefeated season, the loss of the Mason-Dixon and Virginia Little Seven Championships, and defeated the possibility of a post season bid to the Tangerine Bowl. As things went, the best the Tigers could do was tie for the Little Seven championship with Randolph-Macon.

All the credit for such a fine team goes to head coach Jim Hickey and his assistants Bob Thalman and "Weenie" Miller who during their stay at Death Valley have developed a sturdy line and a bumper crop of speedy backs.

Hickey has been known in the past as a defensive coach and until the Johns Hopkins game this was the style of game that the Tigers played. Then behind the quarterbacking of Senior Jim Smith they began to roll offensively. They kept up this steam throughout the season as is well shown by an examination of the statistics.

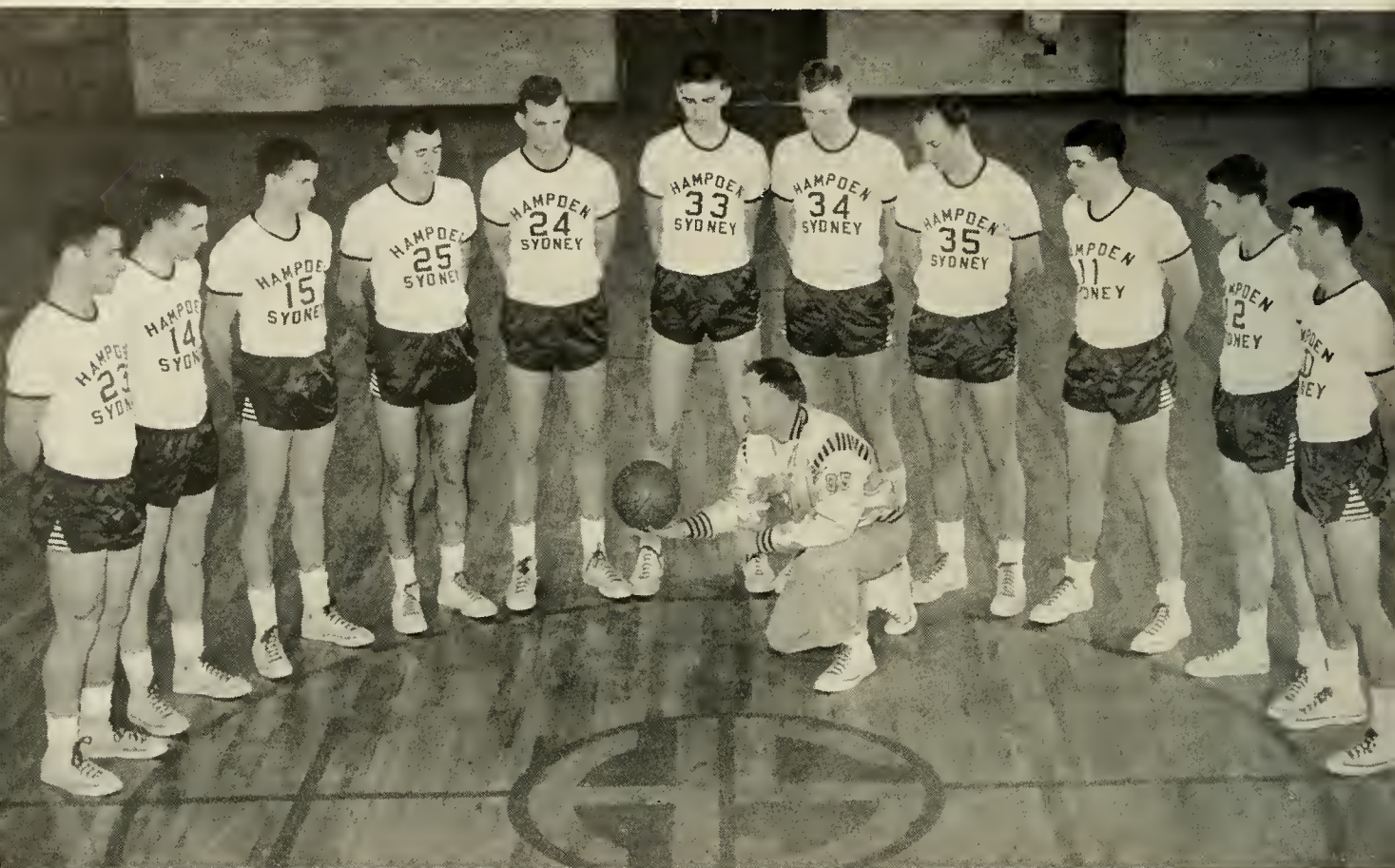
The Tigers gathered in a total of 1,733 yards rushing and another 444 yards passing for a total offense of 2,177 yards to average 241.9 yards per game. Their opponents, on the other hand, only managed to gain 1,308 yards against Tiger defenses for a per game average of 145.3 yards. While gaining this ground they managed to score twenty-nine touchdowns, one safety, and hit on seventeen extra points. In four of their five final games they scored over thirty points.

The mainstays of the Tiger line were Little All-American Ron Henry at end and tackle, John Hodges. Joining this duo to make life miserable for the eleven men on the other side of the ball were guards John Tigmo and Gene Cooke, tackle Jim Frazer, end Tom Lee, and center Ed Harlow. The smooth running Bengal backfield was composed of quarterback Jim Smith, half-backs Charlie Dennie and Tom Poland, and fullback Bill LeHew. The Tiger reserve strength, at its best in years, had a lot to do with the success of the '55 club.

Jim Hickey when asked for his views on this past season and its tremendous success commented, "I think it was due mostly to the great team effort we got all season. Even during practice, effort was at the highest I've seen at Hampden-Sydney the five years I've been here. The boys all deserve a lot of credit, from the starters down to the subs. They all did bang up jobs, and we're proud of them."



'55-'56 Tigers — Second In Little Eight — Third In Mason-Dixon



Kneeling: Coach Louis F. Miller.

Standing: Mottley, Captain; Joyce, Richards, Putt, Key, Shepherd, Holcomb, Carter, Fennell, Holt, Humphreys.

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Player	G	FG	F	PF	TP	Avg.
Russell Holcomb	23	125	128-170	72	378	16.4
Warren Carter	24	108	62-85	47	278	11.6
Douglas Joyce	24	83	90-132	70	254	10.8
Charles Mottley	24	86	76-108	63	248	10.3
Edward Shepherd	23	80	44-56	56	204	8.9
John Putt	14	34	31-43	22	99	7.1
Phillip Key	11	24	18-31	15	60	5.5
John Richards	21	26	10-20	34	56	2.7
Robert Humphreys	15	12	14-33	15	38	2.5
Gerald Duncan	5	3	2-6	7	8	1.6
Thomas Fennell	2	0	3-5	3	3	1.5
Charles Holt	8	5	0-2	10	10	1.3
William Pierce	1	1	0-0	0	2	2.0



TEAMWORK AND ENTHUSIASM AND MILLER PROVE A SUCCESSFUL COMBINATION

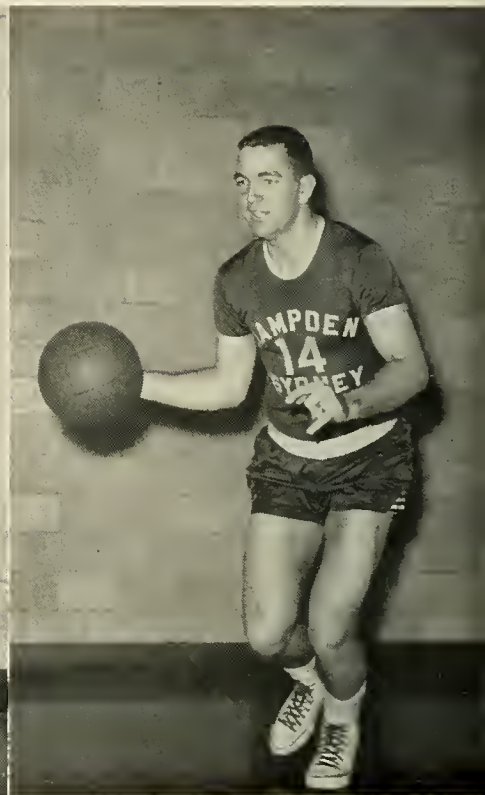




JOHN RICHARDS
Senior
Forward
Lynchburg



CHARLES MOTTLEY
Senior
Guard
Alexandria



DOUGLAS JOYCE
Junior
Guard
Fieldale

TIGER CAGERS SCORE VICTORIES OVER LYNCHBURG COLLEGE, NORFOLK DIVISION,

The '55-'56 edition of the Tiger basketball team took to the hardwood with high hopes of bettering its 15-10 record of last year. The cagers based their hopes on a promising crop of freshmen, a returning squad which had not lost a man via the graduation route and the return of veteran Doug Joyce after a hitch in the service.

Under their new coach, Louis F. "Weenie" Miller, the cagers journeyed to the Richmond Arena for their first encounter and dropped an 81-30 decision to a powerful University of Richmond squad after holding their own during the first half.

After this disappointing defeat, the Tigers returned to Death Valley and their class and evened their record with a close victory over the Lynchburg College Hornets, 70-66. Warren Carter was the big gun in this contest with 20 points.

Again the Tigers left the Little Eight circles and journeyed to Wahoo-land to meet another Big Six foe. Although they dropped an 82-63 decision, they showed

much improvement and trailed by only 37-39 at half-time. Big Russ Holcomb, the Tiger pivotman, was high for Hampden-Sydney.

Playing their third Big Six opponent in four starts, the Tigers played host to the Keydets of V.M.I. and dropped a heartbreaker, 55-52. Tiger Captain Chuck Mottley staged a late game rally with his sharpshooting, but it fell short and the Keydets prevailed.

The next night the Tigers took on the Big Six Champs of William & Mary and gave them a scare before succumbing 76-68 in one of the best-played games of the year.

In the last two games before the holidays, the Bengals dropped two Little Eight opponents with comparative ease by downing the Norfolk Division of William & Mary and Bridgewater College. This brought the pre-holiday record to 3-4.

After the holidays, the Tigers invaded the northern end of the Conference and split on two games by beating the Green Terrors of Western Maryland and then

taking it on the chin from the Mason-Dixon Conference Champs, Mount St. Mary's, by an 11 point margin.

The Tigers journeyed to Ashland for their next game and were stunned in what could certainly be called an upset by arch-rival Randolph-Macon. It seemed as though the Tigers could do nothing right as they lost their first Little Eight encounter in four starts.

However the Bengals bounced back in their next game as they revenged an early season defeat at the hands of V.M.I. by a 72-63 score which saw the Bengal guards Joyce and Mottley sharpshooting for 18 and 22 points respectively.

Back on the victory trail, the Tigers smothered Medical College by a 95-54 score which saw Mottley garner 20 with Holcomb, Ted Shepherd and Joyce also hitting in the double figures.

The next game for the Miller men saw a faultless Bengal machine run up a 16 point lead in the last four minutes to down a highly touted Roanoke five by a 76-60 score.

After a week lay-off due to exams, the Tigers returned to the hardwood wars for their fourth victory in a row. This game clearly showed the rustiness of a lay-off as the Tigers found themselves hard pressed to defeat an RPI team, 70-68, in an overtime. The guards again came through, with Mottley and Joyce scoring 15 and 17 points respectively.

The first game of February found Gammon Gym invaded by the league-leading Greyhounds of Loyola, who bumped them off the victory trail by a 67-53 score. The Tiger attack was well balanced, with four men hitting double figures, but the speedy Greyhounds were too much for the Tigers. In their second game in as many nights the Tigers lost to a surprisingly strong American U. quint, 75-58. Mottley led the Tigers with 16.

After consecutive losses to Loyola and American, the Tigers bounced back to whip the Blue Jays of Johns Hopkins, 73-59. The Tigers took advantage of an early hot streak and held on in the waning minutes to defeat the Jays, who were enjoying second place standings.

BRIDGEWATER, ROANOKE, WESTERN MARYLAND, VMI, MCV AND RPI.

WARREN CARTER
Junior
Forward
West Point

PHILLIP KEY
Senior
Center
Roanoke

ROBERT HUMPHREYS
Sophomore
Guard
Villamont





EDWARD SHEPHERD
Sophomore
Forward
Washington, D.C.



JOHN PUTT
Sophomore
Forward
Lynchburg



RUSSELL HOLCOMB
Junior
Center
Alexandria

ALSO SMASH JOHN HOPKINS, RANDOLPH-MACON AND CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.

The Tigers then took to the road for a hard-earned victory over the Lynchburg Hornets that put them in a tie for first place in the Little Eight with Roanoke.

Two nights later the Tigers avenged an earlier season defeat by Randolph-Macon in a hard-fought contest which ended, 67-60. Holcomb, John Putt and Carter led the Tiger's under the boards and also in the scoring with 17, 14 and 10 points respectively.

In the most important Little Eight scrap of the year the Tigers had a cold first half against Roanoke and couldn't get back into the game, thus relinquishing Little Eight title hopes to Roanoke.

The next game found the Tigers in Wytheville, where they blew a first half lead and lost another Little Eight battle to a scrappy Emory & Henry five, 81-74. High point man for the night was Carter with 14.

The Tigers came back to Death Valley for their last two games of the season and easily won them both. They beat the Eagles of Bridgewater by a 95-58 score. The following night they downed the Hornets of R.P.I.,

95-71. Lanky Ted Shepherd pumped in 26 for the Bengals for an individual high for the season.

These last two victories gave the Bengals an 8-5 Mason-Dixon record and a 9-3 Little Eight record.

The Bengals were seeded third in the Conference tournament, and in the first game they downed the Red birds of Catholic University, 106-96, to set a new record for a Tiger team. Shepherd was high with 29 markers.

The second round found the Tigers losing for the second time to Loyola, who was top-seeded. The Tigers looked slow and never reached their full potential, and the Greyhounds coasted to an easy win.

Four Tigers received berths on all star teams. Center Russ Holcomb gained a first team berth on the All Little Eight and a third team berth on the Virginia All State team. Captain Chuck Mottley and forward Warren Carter both made the second team, with guard Doug Joyce getting honorable mention.

THE RECORD

H-S	39
Richmond	81
H-S	70
Lynchburg	66
H-S	63
Virginia	82
H-S	52
VMI	55
H-S	69
W and M	76
H-S	72
Norfolk Division	54
H-S	76
Bridgewater	65
H-S	74
Western Md.	66
H-S	62
Mt. St. Mary's	74
H-S	54
R-M	65
H-S	72
VMI	63
H-S	95
MCV	61
H-S	76
Roanoke	60

H-S	70
RPI	68
H-S	53
Loyola	67
H-S	58
American U.	75
H-S	73
Johns Hopkins	59
H-S	73
Lynchburg	66
H-S	67
R-M	60
H-S	78
Norfolk Division	74
H-S	60
Roanoke	76
H-S	74
Emory and Henry	81
H-S	95
Bridgewater	60
H-S	95
RPI	71

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H-S	106
Catholic U.	96
H-S	68
Loyola	101

CHARLES HOLT, Sophomore, Guard, Norfolk



Managers Fred Hodges and Bob Pilcher



JV BASKETBALL



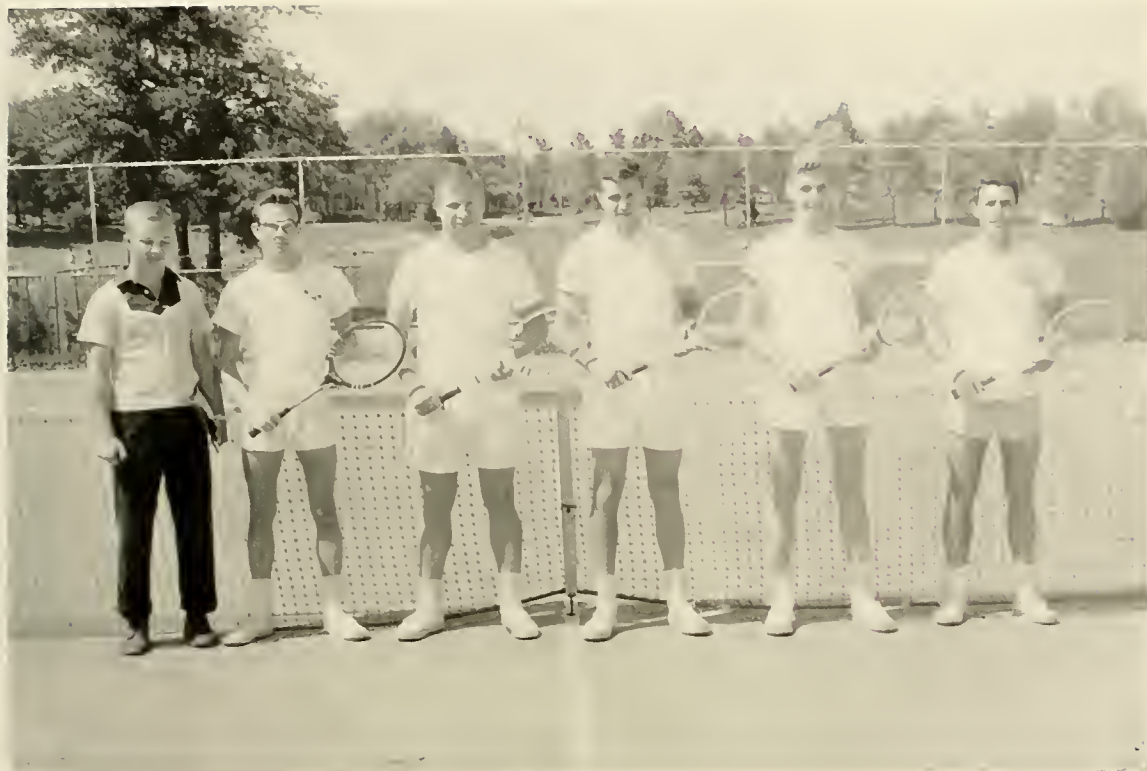
First Row: Bill Hess, Manager: Jack Dice, Dee Robb, Tom Fletcher, Coach Bob Thalman.
Second Row: Larry Smith, Bobby Saylor, Mac Jones.
Third Row: Wally Giglio, George Shield.

CROSS COUNTRY TRACK

Left to Right: Stuart Copeland, Bill Ferguson, Bob Hippensteele, Bunting Brown, King Waddill, Nelson Coe, Frank Moore.



TENNIS—1955



D. Dunn, B. Simmons, C. Rives, J. Richard, W. Odom, J. White.

BASEBALL—1955

Kneeling: Ames, Taylor, Dick, Harlow, Annand, Land, Humphreys.

Sitting: Siersema, Williams, Smith, Fulton, Curtis, Glascock, Griffin, Marlowe.

Standing: Grubb, Tynes, Duncan, Cooke, Cox, Sheppard, Coach Milam.



FOUR RECORDS FALL AT LITTLE-SEVEN TRACK MEET

THE HAMPDEN-SYDNEY TIGER: Friday, May 13, 1955—Four records fell last Friday at Death Valley as the Roanoke College Maroons, perennial track powers in the Little Seven Conference, took the nod over the other five schools represented:

The scoring went as follows:

Roanoke College	55
Hampden-Sydney	39
Bridgewater	26
Lynchburg	19
Randolph-Macon	15
Richmond Polytechnic Institute	0

Emory and Henry did not participate.

Jim Frazer, star weight-man and co-captain of the Bengal thinclads was one of the four double winners of the day and set new records in both of his events. He bettered the old in the shot put set by him last year by a foot with a throw of 48' 1/2". He also broke his own discus record, set last year, with a toss of 136' 10".

The Tiger relay team of Moore, Grinnan, Overbey and Brown set a new mark in an exciting race which they won in the time of 3:30.7. The old record of 3:31.2 was established just last year by Roanoke.

Paige Will, sparkling middledistance runner for Bridgewater set the other record in the 440 with the time of 50.8. He also placed first in the 880.

Dave Foltz of Roanoke was also a double winner as he took first in his specialties, the high and low hurdles. He gained a tie for second in the high jump.

Charlie Nuttycombe of R-M finished first in the 100 yard dash and broad jump and tied for first in the 220 dash with Tiger Mickey Moore.

The summaries were:

100 Yard Dash: (1) Nuttycombe, R-M; (2) Gearhart; (3) Jarrett; (4) M. Moore, H-S. Time 10.5

220 Yard Dash: (1) Tie—Nuttycombe, R-M, and M. Moore, H-S; (3) Gearhart; (4) Ide. Time 22.2.

440 Yard Dash: (1) Will, BC; (2) Brown, H-S; (3) Overbey, H-S; (4) Light, RC. Time 50.8.

880 Yard Run: (1) Will, BC; (2) Goodlake, RC; (3) Shaw, RC; (4) Grinnan, H-S. Time 2:00.6.

Mile Run: Atwood, LC; (2) Shaw, RC; (3) Rittman, RC; (4) Fennimore, BC. Time 4:34.6.

220 Yard Hurdles: (1) Foltz, RC; (2) Johnston, RC; (3) Gold, H-S; (4) Seed, RC. Time 24.4.

120 Yard Hurdles: (1) Foltz, RC; (2) Seed, RC; (3) Johnston, RC; (4) Birdsong, R-M. Time 16.0.

Two Mile Run: (1) Noel, RC; (2) Rittenhouse, BC; (3) Cunningham, BC; (4) Loar, BC. Time 10:16.9.

Shot Put: (1) Frazer, H-S; (2) Wiley, H-S; (3) Lee, H-S; (4) Pence, BC. 48' 1/2".

Discus: (1) Frazer, H-S; (2) Pence, BC; (3) Neilson, RC; (4) Wiley, H-S. 138' 10".

Pole Vault: (1) Goode, LC; (2) Kreger, LC; (3) Tie—Wilkie, RC and Moore, RC. 12'.

High Jump: (1) Pence, BC; (2) Tie—Foltz, Jackson, Seed, RC. 5' 11".

Broad Jump: (1) Nuttycombe, R-M; (2) Gold, H-S; (3) Rushbrooke, H-S; (4) Shaw, RC. 21' 4".

Mile Relay: (1) H-S (Moore, Grinnan, Overbey, Brown). Time 3:30.7.



OVERBEY CAPTURES FIRST IN 440 HEAT



R-M'S NUTTYCOMBE FIRST IN HUNDRED



FOLTZ OF ROANOKE WINS HURDLES



FRAZER THROWS A RECORD 48' ½"



GOLD SECOND IN BROAD JUMP



MAROON'S JACKSON IN HIGH JUMP



RUSHBROOKE CLEARS BAR



RELAY TEAM SETS NEW LITTLE SEVEN MARK

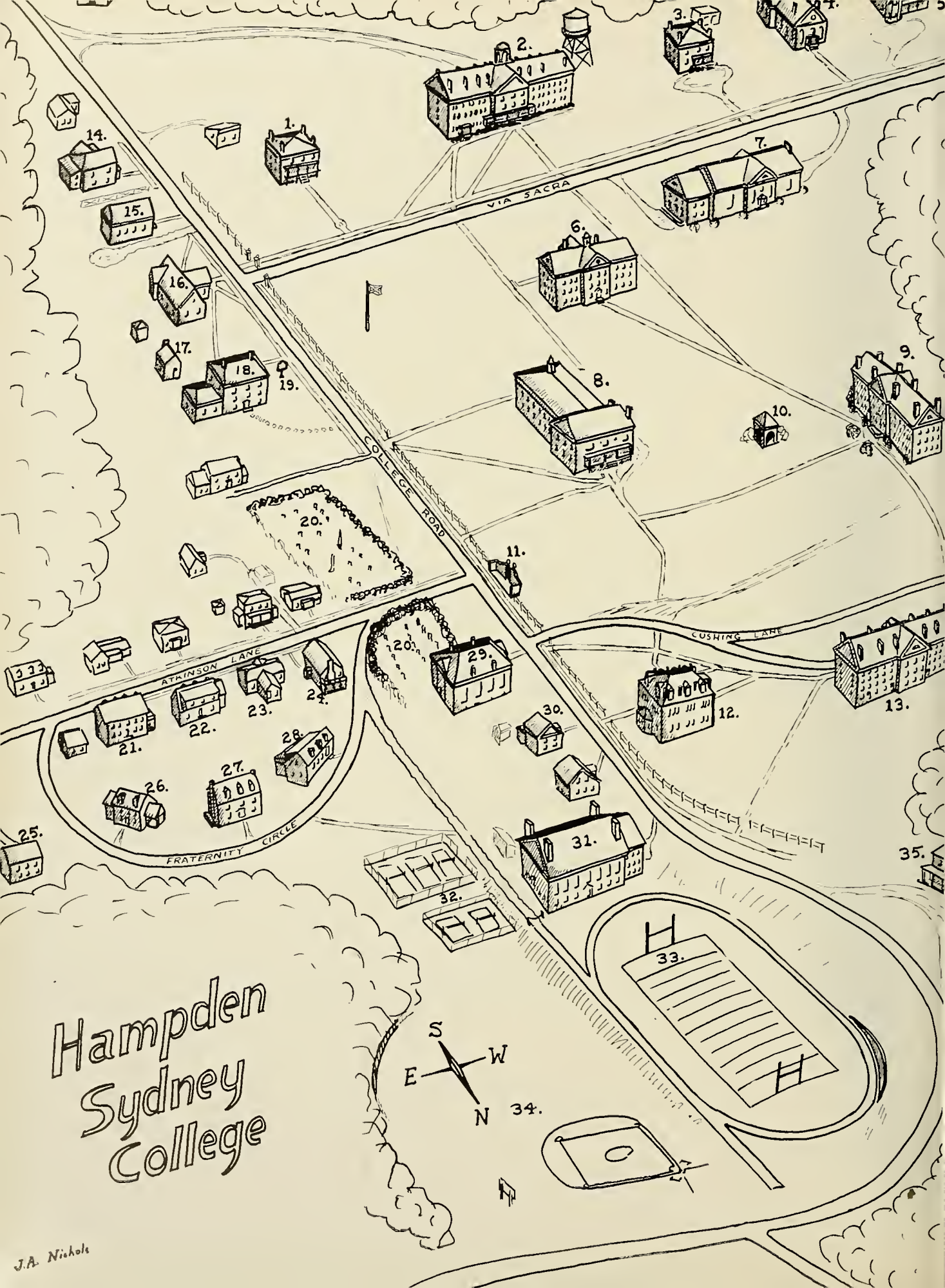


"SHE SAYS HER



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FEATURES



Hampden Sydney College

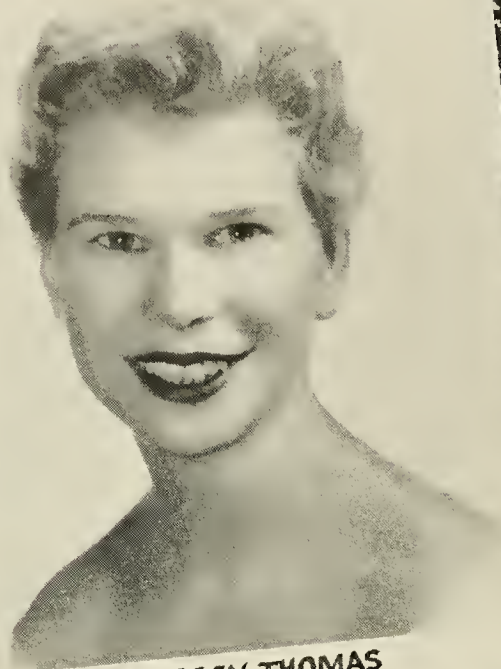
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A Description of a 180 year old Campus

By WILLIAM T. REED, III

The present campus is the outgrowth of two colleges: one being Hampden-Sydney College, originally consisting of Cushing Hall and the Alamo; and the other the Union Theological Seminary, composed of Penshurst, Venable Hall, and Middlecourt. The Seminary moved to Richmond in 1898, and their buildings eventually were given to the college. With additions between the two old campuses we find the present one consisting of:

1. **PENSHURST:** erected in 1829 by Synod of North Carolina, which gave it its name; name was changed in 1898 to Penshurst, home of Algernon Sydney in Kent, England; today it is a faculty home.
2. **VENABLE HALL:** originally the main building for Union Theological Seminary; "Stagger Inn;" built in 1825; main portion 1830-31; now houses freshmen and the dining hall.
3. **MIDDLECOURT:** built in 1829 and called Boston; Richard Venable acquired it in 1898 (along with the College President).
4. **MEMORIAL LIBRARY:** gift to Seminary made the erection possible in 1880; rear annex added in 1936; original section burned in 1941; re-erected in 1949.
5. **THE MAPLES:** faculty home in 1886 when built; Richard Venable acquired it in 1898 (along with the other Seminary buildings); eventually given to the college as a faculty home.
6. **BAGBY HALL:** in honor of John Hampden Chamberlain Bagby, the science building was erected in 1922; continues to house the chemistry, biology, and physics classrooms and laboratories.
7. **JOHNS AUDITORIUM:** named for Dr. Frank Stoddard Johns, Chairman of Board of Trustees, 1938-1956; erected as assembly hall and chapel in 1951.
8. **Graham Hall:** front section erected in 1833; called Old President's Home; alumni and student publication offices are located here now; annex added as gymnasium in 1916 and named for college president, Dr. Henry Tucker Graham; 1954 it was turned into a dormitory and infirmary.
9. **MORTON HALL:** gift from Samuel Packwood Morton in 1936 for academic building; named for his ancestor John Morton, charter member of the Trustees.
10. **BELL TOWER:** the Asa Dupuy Watkins Bell Tower; built in 1934 with bricks coming from locations significant to the college's history.
11. **MEMORIAL GATE:** plans originated in 1919 as a memorial to alumni killed in World War I; built by private subscription in 1921.
12. **McILWAINE HALL:** originally called Memorial Hall and used as chapel and classroom until 1936; present name taken after president of Hampden-Sydney 1883-1904, Richard McIlwaine.
13. **CUSHING HALL:** first used as a chapel, classroom, and dormitory when built between 1822-30 at cost of \$29,400!, now houses upperclassmen.
14. **CHI PHI HOUSE:** formerly called Edinburgh and used as dormitory for married Seminary students; 1925 became the Chi Phi Fraternity House.
15. **POST OFFICE:** added in Dr. Gammon's administration in 1942.
16. **COLLEGE SHOP:** the College Shop and Tea Room was added to the campus in 1928-29.
17. **THE CRADLE:** the birthplace of the college when it stood on Slate Hill Farm, three miles south of the campus; later moved to "The Hill" in July of 1944.
18. **WESTMINSTER HALL:** now houses the administration offices; built c. 1850 as a residence and later as a dining hall for Seminary student.
19. **THE SIGN:** Virginia historical marker tells briefly the history Hampden-Sydney has witnessed.
20. **COLLEGE CEMETERY** (southern section) and **College Church Cemetery** (northern portion).
21. **KAPPA ALPHA FRATERNITY HOUSE.**
22. **LAMBDA CHI ALPHA FRATERNITY HOUSE.**
23. **OAK LODGE** (house for those who do not choose to join a fraternity).
24. **THETA CHI FRATERNITY HOUSE** (the latest addition to the campus being completed in 1955).
25. **ESTECOURT:** built in 1830's for John Holt Rice and has been used continually as a home for professors on the campus.
26. **SIGMA CHI FRATERNITY HOUSE.**
27. **KAPPA SIGMA FRATERNITY HOUSE.**
28. **PI KAPPA ALPHA FRATERNITY HOUSE.**
29. **COLLEGE CHURCH:** present building erected on site of old College Church in 1865; it is not owned or managed by the college, but is a separate entity itself.
30. **THE MANSE:** built in 1921 for Dr. Gammon, who was then college pastor; now inhabited by Dr. Ben Rice Lacy, College Chaplain and pastor of College Church.
31. **GAMMON GYMNASIUM:** erected in 1939-40 to take place of old gymnasium in Graham Hall; front annex added in 1955 for offices and lounge.
32. **TENNIS COURTS.**
33. **VENABLE FIELD** (Death Valley): so named by the University of Richmond, who had great difficulty in defeating the Tigers on their home field.
34. **CHALGROVE FIELD:** named after the spot in England where John Hampden was wounded; named in 1956; the baseball diamond.
35. **THE ALAMO** (not included on map): located west of Cushing Hall; oldest building in the community; erected in 1817 for President Moses Hoge; later boarding house until turned into a faculty home at turn of the century.



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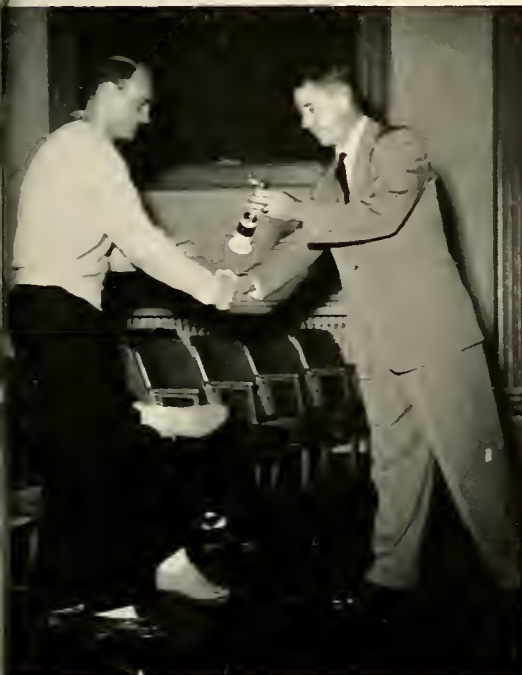
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1954-55	Chi Phi

THE 1954-55 SEASON

Touch Football	Chi Phi
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Jim Kulp. receiving Trophy for Chi Phi



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It is the hope then of the staff that this book will be continually novel and interesting — and that the picture painted within will be a lasting one — one that captures the true atmosphere of the campus and one that is worthy of the name of the college.

—Ed.

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